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GALLERY WAS CRITICAL.

Use of Hostile Remarks Greets London Play, Which is Defended by Wyndham.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, May 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The fall of the curtain on Arthur's new comedy, "The Bride and Bridegroom," at the New Theater, was the signal for the noisiest scene witnessed in a London theater for many years. A storm of "boos" and hostile remarks from the gallery greeted Sir Charles Wyndham to the stage. He had prepared, he said, after several ineffectual attempts to gain a hearing, to "face the music." There were cheers from the boxes, stalls and dress circle, followed by renewed cries elsewhere and shouts of "we know you hate the gallery," etc.

Finally Sir Charles pointed his finger angrily at the gallery and called upon the police to remove the offenders. Some of the noisiest were ejected, but this did not abate the demonstration, and Sir Charles remained on the stage for some time undaunted. After repeatedly asking for fair play, he announced his determination to fit the future programs to the audiences from such organized disturbances. The uproar lasted for twenty minutes and appeared to be due to dissatisfaction over the exclusion of Miss Mabel Terry Lewis from the cast.

"The Bride and Bridegroom," notwithstanding that it is brightly written, proved somewhat dull.

SHAW'S WORD FOR IT.

No Hitch in Arrangements for Paying Panama Company for Canal—Conference at Sub-treasury.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—A conference was held at the sub-treasury today between Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, James Stillman, president of the National City Bank, and George W. Perkins of J. P. Morgan & Co., presumably in reference to the Panama Canal payments. At the close of the conference Secretary Shaw made this formal statement:

"There is no hitch in the arrangement for the Panama payment to the Panama Canal Company. A warrant for $40,000,000 will be placed with J. P. Morgan & Co. next Monday. There is no material modification of the plan of last fall.

"The working out of the plan will cause no financial disturbance. The money is being drawn from the banks and treasury gradually, and will be disbursed by Morgan & Co.

TO FEED NATIONAL PARK ELKS.

LIVINGSTON (Mont.) May 5.—It is the intention of the government to sow a large tract of land in the Yellowstone National Park near Gardiner in alfalfa for the purpose of feeding the park elk and wild animals in that neighborhood during the winter months because of the scarcity of feed in the park. A large irrigating canal for the irrigation of the tract will be taken out of the Gardiner River.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 51 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., south, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 10 miles. At midnight the temperature was 57 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 55 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Friday; light north winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Friday; fresh south winds.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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WASHINGTON. Ex-Gov. Black of New York to nominate the President. National Republican Committee to meet at Chicago June 15....Fairbanks choice for Vice-President, says Senator Platt....Bourke Cockran to marry California girl, it is said....Navy Department will probably move training station from San Francisco to San Diego. Philippine customs duties were rightfully collected, says Court of Claims. Parker and his boom.

FOREIGN, BY CABLE. Japan's second army, numbering 60,000 men, lands in the vicinity of Port Arthur. Alexieff departs from Port Arthur, which is considered significant by London....Is Port Arthur "bottled?" Russians not discouraged; days of patience begin....Russia braces herself for great struggle....Rumors of battle at Feng Wang Cheng....Talk of Gen. Kouropatkin changing his plans.

THE GREAT WAR.

JAPS' SECOND ARMY TAKES TO THE SHORE.

Landing on Northern Side of Kinchow Bay Surprises Russians.

Country Well Adapted to Vigorous Resistance by the Czar's Troops—Transports Loaded With Little Brown Men Lying Off Pitsewo—Rumors of Decisive Fighting, With Japanese Success.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOKIO, May 6. (Noon.)—[By Asiatic Cable.] It is officially announced that a Japanese force began landing on the Liao Tung Peninsula yesterday. The place where the landing is occurring and the number of men being landed are withheld.

FIELD FOR STRONG RESISTANCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEWCHWANG, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Japanese transports sighted in the Gulf of Liao Tung by Lieut.-Gen. Sakaroff last Tuesday put into the northern side of Kinchow Bay, this afternoon, accompanied by two battleships and five cruisers. In advance was the torpedo-boat flotilla. The fleet was seen off Fuchau, seventy miles north of Kinchow Bay, at dusk last evening.

Port Arthur believes that an attack on the westerly side of the railroad is intended, but there is some doubt thrown upon this by the openness with which the Japanese showed their fleet this afternoon. Should they attempt to land they will have no difficulty in taking the shore and slope inland for half a mile, but then they will have opposed to them ranges of cliffs and hills which are not only well fortified, but which can be reinforced by artillery from Port Arthur.

Kinchow Bay is the last place where the Russians suspected the Japanese would attack, because, for miles, there is a big plateau with mountainous roads that serve well for resistance from infantry and field artillery. There is great confidence expressed here by Gen. Kolubakin, who is in command, that any attempt to throw a large force of soldiers on to the mainland in Kinchow Bay (deeper on the eastern end of Society Bay would prove [illegible] of the enemy.

Information comes here tonight that more than twenty Japanese transports, with two torpedo-boat flotillas and several cruisers, are seven miles southeast of Pitsewo, which is just north of Elliot Islands. There is good military road at this point leading south to the railroad north of Kinchow and another northwest that hits the railroad north of Fuchau, cutting the Ta Sha River. An invasion from this point has been looked for by the war council here since the beginning of hostilities. No attempt was made to land tonight, but it is not improbable that fighting will be reported from Pitsewo tomorrow.

The exact strength of the Russian forces on the Manchurian coast line at this point is not accurately known, but it has been understood for some time that Lieut. Gen. Nadaroff fortified both roads from Pitsewo under direction of Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel, now on duty in Port Arthur.

RUSSIA BRACES FOR STRUGGLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 6, 3:30 a.m. — With Vice-Admiral Togo hovering in the immediate vicinity of Port Arthur and transports loaded with troops lying at Pitsewo, northeast of that stronghold, Russia has braced herself for impending conflicts with the foe in which she will again play a defensive role, this time, it is hoped, with better success, and therefore with less sacrifice of life than in the engagements on the Yalu.

The war commission sat until 2 o'clock this morning, and at the close of the session it was announced that there was nothing to communicate to the public. It is known, however, that the Emperor has been informed of the presence of a Japanese fleet off the Liao Yang Shan promontory and the appearance of troops at Pitsewo.

The fact that the two events occurred simultaneously may have significance. If a landing should take place at Pitsewo it is anticipated that Admiral Togo's battleship squadron will bombard Port Arthur in order to prevent the garrison from sending reinforcements by railroad to the troops opposing the Japanese there. Neither the Admiralty nor the war office believes that a disembarkation of the Japanese can be prevented, as the guns of the Japanese cruisers could command the point of landing, but after the Japanese are ashore the Russians will strike. What force they will be able to bring up to resist the invaders cannot be stated definitely, the strength of the army on the peninsula of Liao Tung having been kept a strict secret.

It is expected the railroad will play an important part in the effort of the Russians to push the Japanese into the sea, as it will permit the rapid transportation of troops. The General Staff has not forgotten that Japanese ships were sighted, May 3, off Kaiping and Siniuchen, on the west coast of the Liao Tung Peninsula, but these two points could be readily covered, if necessary, from Newchwang.

IMPORTANCE OF LANDING.

An important advantage would accrue to the Japanese should they succeed in establishing themselves at Pitsewo. From there radiate roads connecting with the railroad at Yang Ti Tien, directly west to south, with Sanchelipon and Kinchow stations on the railroad near Port Arthur, northeast through Takashan with Feng Wong Chang.

A landing at this moment would make it difficult for Gen. Kouropatkin to concentrate a formidable force against Gen. Kuroki, whose forward movement is not yet reported. Furthermore, once the Japanese are across the railroad, Port Arthur will be as good as besieged.

A member of the General Staff says that Gen. Kouropatkin is well aware of these considerations. Even if the Japanese should succeed in cutting the railroad, Port Arthur is now ready to depend on its own resources.

Dispatches from Tokio telling of celebrations over the sealing of Port Arthur, it is stated, are premature, official advices establishing beyond question that the attempt of Vice-Admiral Togo, May 3, to seal the port failed.

The absence of press dispatches telling of the fight on the Yalu is partially explained by the heavy mortality among the correspondents. Three of the Novosti's correspondents are missing, and it is believed that they were killed, while the Russ lost one of its correspondents. The other journals are wiring to ascertain if their representatives are alive.

ALEXIEFF'S DEPARTURE.
SIGNIFICANT TO LONDON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, May 6.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Viceroy Alexieff's departure from Port Arthur is interpreted here to mean that that place is in immediate danger of isolation, and that the Japanese preparations for landing are considered as confirming the belief that Port Arthur has been sealed up, probably by two of the sunken ships which the Russians "failed to locate." In this connection, attention is drawn to the discrepancy between the Russian and Japanese accounts of the attempt to bottle up the port, the former stating that it occurred about 3 o'clock in the morning, while the latter said it took place in the afternoon.

It is suggested that there may have been two separate attempts, each time with ten ships. It will be remembered that it has been previously asserted that the Japanese prepared twenty vessels for this purpose, and if this explanation is correct, the Russian accounts, referring only to the early morning affair, may be justified in asserting that it was unsuccessful. It is supposed that the Japanese will make a supreme effort to cut off Port Arthur before the arrival of Vice-Admiral Skrydloff.

According to the Daily Telegraph's Tokio correspondent, today's Jiji Shimapo, says: "Our fleet has not returned to its rendezvous, and is still engaged in the execution of a pre-arranged programme. There is reason to believe that the Japanese intend landing their second army [illegible] up of Port Arthur."

The Daily Mail's Paris correspondent hears that Russia has canceled its contracts for a supply of coal en route to the Far East which were made with a view to the dispatch of the Baltic fleet.

The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail asserts that the Russian military authorities are in a state of extreme anxiety regarding the chances of saving the baggage of the Yalu army. The roads are so bad that a wheeled transport is only able to move five miles a day, and it is feared that the Japanese will capture all the stores accumulated at Feng Wang Cheng.

Dispatches received from Port Arthur yesterday afternoon and from Newchwang Wednesday report no change in the situation, and so far no confirmation has reached London of the Japanese preparations for landing on the coast of the Liao Tung Peninsula.

According to the Daily Telegraph's Shan Hai Kwan correspondent, M. Pavloff, Russian Minister to Korea, has gone to Peking for the purpose of endeavoring to induce China to cede to the Russian administration the Chinese railways from Kou Pang Tze to Sin Min Tung and Yinkow for military purposes.

RUSSIANS NOT DISCOURAGED.
DAYS OF PATIENCE BEGIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5, 2:10 p.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Russian papers are rather sparing in their comment on the battle of Kiulienchen, evidently awaiting more complete details, but what they say contains no trace of discouragement.

The Novoe Vremya says the days of patience announced by Gen. Kouropatkin have now begun, and declares that the Japanese difficulties will increase as they advance. The paper believes the chief danger now is in the attitude of the Chinese, and says: "Our diplomats must make Peking realize the danger of Chinese violation of neutrality. Russia must win, but heavier sacrifices and heavier price will be exacted from her enemies."

The Viedomosti remarks: "It is a Japanese victory. Do not let us seek for a scapegoat. It is the fortune of war. Glory to the dead and to the survivors of the heroic fight against overwhelming odds. But the Japanese probably would gladly exchange their dearly-bought victory for a successful bottling-up of Port Arthur."

The Russky Invalid, the army organ, points to the fact that 5000 Russians fought a rear-guard battle against 30,000 Schoengrabern (Austria,) in 1805, and a century later 8000 Russians fought 40,000 Japanese at the Yalu.

"The Russians," the Russky Invalid adds, "are accustomed to lay down their lives when duty calls. The Japanese paid too dearly for their victory. It will take them days to recover."

The Novoe Vremya's expert says the report of Maj.-Gen. Kashtalinsky proves clearly that the Russians should have withdrawn during the night of April 30, and adds: "Kashtalinsky foredoomed them to de-

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POLITICAL.

SUCCESSOR TO HANNA.

Ex-Gov. Murphy is Most Favored.

Cornelius N. Bliss Not Sure of the Chairmanship of National Committee.

Chief Speech Nominating the President is Likely to be Ex-Gov. Black's

Activity of Gorman in Giving "Encouragement" to Parker's Boom.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Callers at the White House this morning let it be known that it is far from being settled that Cornelius N. Bliss of New York has been decided upon as chairman of the Republican National Committee, or that he would accept the place if he had been decided upon by the party leaders.

Some authorities go so far in denying the report that Bliss is to have the vacant chairmanship as to say that Ex-Gov. Murphy of New Jersey is by far the most likely candidate for the position, and that he had been practically agreed upon and has practically agreed to accept and to undertake to conduct the campaign.

EX-GOV. BLACK TO NOMINATE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—It was announced at the White House today that former Gov. Frank S. Black of New York would make the principal speech in nominating the President at the Chicago convention. He will be [illegible] Harry Stillwell Edwards, the well-known writer and orator, of Macon, Ga. At this time, however, it has not been determined definitely who will deliver these speeches.

The concrete results of the series of political conferences held at the White House during the past week have not been reached on several of the important topics under discussion. It was said today by authority that the conferences held are only the beginning of many that will be held from time to time before the Chicago convention. The expectation is that a decision regarding the chairmanship of the Republican National Committee will be reached before the convention assembles, but that it has not been reached yet, it is asserted positively.

The President has adhered to his determination, announced months ago, not to permit himself to be drawn into any contest that might arise over the nomination of a candidate for the Vice-Presidency. Naturally he is interested in the matter, but he believes that it ought to be determined by the party leaders in the convention, without suggestion from him.

PARKER AND HIS BOOM.
ACTIVITY OF GORMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hon. Eliot Danforth of New York came into town today, and tried to infuse some national enthusiasm into Judge Parker's Presidential boom, saying that Judge Parker stands for everything that everybody wants, and is against everything that nobody wants. Coming down as near to details as he dared, he said: "Judge Parker is against unlawful labor and against unlawful capital." This is about as far as he went on specific matters, evidently forgetting that the Revised Statutes of the United States are also dead set against unlawful labor, unlawful capital, and other unlawful things.

Singularly enough, coincident with an attempt to make the Parker boom look healthy, an attractive bull market was started in the stock of Senator Gorman of Maryland, and it moved up several points. Senator Gorman has been playing possum, and while other candidates were being trotted out, he lay low till last night, when he went to New York to see Murphy, the boss of Tammany Hall, who cannot stand Parker for some reason.

While Gorman has been a candidate right along, in a quiet way, other candidates were to be encouraged to come into limelight, where not only they would be open to critical inspection, but probably a target for missiles. The plan has worked out thus far so that Judge Parker, Cleveland, Olney and Hearst have been inspected, criticised and duly pelted. Rocks are still being shied at Parker and Hearst.

The policy of abnegation and temporary self-effacement was carried by Gorman to the extent of encouraging Parker organizations in the South. It also encouraged the instructing of the New York Democratic State Convention for Judge Parker. All that was for the sole purpose, as has been pointed out, of putting off the Hearst movement in the South and preventing Hearst from bottling up the delegations. That has been accomplished, too. Hearst has withdrawn from the South, horse, foot and dragoons, and is campaigning in Iowa and Illinois.

But it is to be observed, and too

much significance cannot be attached to this point, that there has been no further instructions for Judge Parker since New York acted. Other State conventions and State primaries have been held, but they are not tied-up delegations. The great aim and object of the Gorman campaign is to keep the delegations free, as at St. Louis, where there is a deadlock between the Bryan-Hearst and Parker factions, so that Senator Gorman can treat for a compromise. Here is a dispatch which was received in this city today from Indianapolis:

"Col. Richard J. Bright is here interviewing leading Democrats in the Gorman interest, to prevent Parker instructions at the State convention next week."

GORMAN'S PURPOSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—Senator A. P. Gorman arrived in this city tonight for the purpose of, it is said, meeting Charles P. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall; James M. Guffy, leader of the Pennsylvania Democrats, and others of influence in the Democratic party. He refused to talk of the object of his visit. It is understood that he will remain here several days.

INDICATIONS FAVOR PARKER.

CONNECTICUT CONVENTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HARTFORD (Ct.) May 5.—No opposition to the choice of former Congressman Deforest of Bridgeport as temporary chairman of the Democratic State Convention developed tonight at the first sitting of the delegates. It had been expected that Alexander Troupe, leader of the Hearst movement in Connecticut, would take exception to the selection made by the State Central Committee.

The convention will choose delegates to the St. Louis convention, and at the same time effect a reorganization of the State Central Committee under the new senatorial redistricting. The session tonight was that of a temporary organization which will be made permanent tomorrow after the caucuses have selected a new State committee.

It was not possible to determine tonight whether there are more Parker than Hearst delegates holding credentials, but the indications point strongly in favor of the former.

AS SHOWN BY BUTTONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HARTFORD (Ct.) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two-thirds of the delegates to the Democratic State Convention were Parker buttons tonight, and it is believed the convention will tomorrow instruct for Parker as a unit.

IT'S PROBABLY PARKER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HARTFORD (Ct.) May 5.—The Democratic State Convention will probably instruct its delegates to the St. Louis convention to vote for Judge Alton B. Parker of New York as the party's nominee, and also will adopt the unit rule.

It is claimed that the convention, in the temporary organization last night, did not show the strength of William R. Hearst that the caucuses held early in the morning indicated and that the Parker delegates are in the majority.

DEBS FOR PRESIDENT.

SOCIALISTS MAKE NOMINATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, May 5.—E. V. Debs was nominated today for President by the National convention of the Socialist party, in session here. Benjamin Handford of New York City was nominated for Vice-President.

After condemning the policies of the Democratic and Republican parties, the platform, as adopted, appeals to the American people for support on the ground that the Socialist party is the only political organization standing for the principles by which the liberties of the individual may become a fact; as the only political organization that is democratic and has for its purpose the conversion of all society to the principles of true democracy.

Capitalism and private ownership of the means of employment, it is declared, "grounds society in an economic slavery which renders intellectual and political tyranny inevitable."

The fidelity of the American Socialist party is pledged in the platform to the principles of international socialism as embodied in the united thought and action of Socialists of all nations.

The question of inserting a plank in the platform favoring labor unions, which caused several heated discussions during the convention, was adopted.

IT'S FAIRBANKS, SAYS PLATT.

STRAIGHT CONFERENCE TIP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Fairbanks of Indiana has been definitely agreed upon by the Republican leaders as the running mate for the President, according to news which Senator Thomas C. Platt brought from the Republican conferences in Washington tonight. Another interesting announcement made by the Senator was that he is for Elihu Root for Governor and opposed to Mayor Knight of Buffalo, Odell's candidate.

NORRIS BEATING HEARST.

IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Democratic primaries were held in the District of Columbia tonight for the election of delegates to the district convention, which is to be held next Thursday for the selection of six delegates to the National Democratic Convention.

There was a spirited contest between what is known as the Norris and Hearst forces, the former favoring the sending of uninstructed delegates to the national convention and the latter element favorable to delegates instructed for Hearst.

At a late hour the returns showed the election of a majority of delegates favorable to the Norris faction, although protests have been made in districts where Hearst's delegates were defeated.

CONVENTION CHAPLAINS.

SELECTIONS AT CHICAGO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Elmer Dover, secretary of the National Republican Committee, today received from Chicago word that a local committee having the matter in charge had selected the following chaplains to open the national convention on the different days with prayer: First day, Rev. Timothy P. Frost, Methodist Episcopal Church; second day, Rev. Father Daniel J. Riordan, Roman Catholic Church; third day, Rev. Thaddeus A. Snively, Episcopal Church.

It was announced today that all applications for press seats to the convention must be made on or before May 20, either to William F. Stone, Baltimore, or to John M. Carson of this city.

WOLCOTT FOR CHAIRMAN.

COLORADO'S DELEGATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DENVER, May 5.—It has been agreed by the State Republican leaders that Edward O. Wolcott, former United States Senator, shall be chairman of the Colorado delegation to the Chicago convention. A State convention will be held in this city tomorrow to name six delegates-at-large and six alternates. Besides Wolcott, whose election is conceded, Gov. James H. Peabody, Judge N. Walter Dixon and Simon Guggenheim will probably be named as delegates.

State Committee Chairman D. B. Fairely will call the convention to order, and will preside until a temporary chairman is elected. Resolutions indorsing the President and urging his renomination will be drawn by Wolcott, who came from New York to take part in the convention. The instructions in behalf of the President's renomination will be clear and unequivocal, it is stated.

A. M. Stevenson will be recommended as national committeeman.

FAILED TO TIE TO WILLIE.

DELEGATES ONLY FAVORABLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) May 5.—The selection of a delegation to the Democratic National Convention, seven of whom are considered favorable to the candidacy of William R. Hearst for President and three are opposed, and the adoption of resolutions dealing with national issues and containing an indorsement, of ex-Senator Turner of Spokane for Vice-President, constituted the work of the Democratic State Convention, which closed its labors at 7 o'clock this evening.

The resolutions indorse the national platforms of 1896 and 1900, and insist on the nomination of candidates in sympathy therewith. The national administration is censured for alleged extravagance and corruption in its departments and for embroilment in Old World controversies. The resolutions demand a cessation of "militarism, imperialism and colonialism," and call for an income tax and inheritance tax, destruction of trusts, and removal of unnecessary tariff walls. They express confidence in the capacity, fidelity and integrity of W. J. Bryan.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE CALL.

MEET AT CHICAGO JUNE 15.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Postmaster-General Payne, acting chairman of the Republican National Committee, andd Secretary Dover of the committee today issued a call for a meeting of the national committee at Chicago, June 15. At this meeting, the call says, the national committee will hear and determine such contests as may be presented for its consideration and prepare the temporary roll of delegates.

WHAT BLISS SAYS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May. 5.—Cornelius N. Bliss, treasurer of the Republican National Committee, returned today from Washington, where he had a conference with the President Tuesday. Mr. Bliss, on his arrival, gave out a statement in which he referred to the national chairmanship as follows:

"Several gentlemen have been considered for the chairmanship and other offices, subject, of course, to the approval and action of the National Committee. There will be no difficulty in definitely settling the question at the proper time."

Tom Platt's Programme.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The World tomorrow will quote Senator Thomas Platt as saying:

"In Washington the feeling among the leaders is that Senator Fairbanks is to be nominated for Vice-President. It is practically settled. The only man who has not agreed to it is Senator Fairbanks, but he will accept, and make a strong candidate. He is a very reluctant candidate, but he will yield to the pressure for his nomination."

According to the World, Platt announced that he is for Elihu Root for Governor.

Col. Guffey for Chairman.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Col. James Guffey of Pennsylvania has been selected by the supporters of Judge Alton B. Parker for chairman of the Democratic National Committee, says the Herald. Conferences which have been held between Col. Guffey and personal representatives of Judge Parker here are given as the basis for this belief.

Anti-Parker Men Pull for Gorman.

NEW YORK, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The World's Washington correspondent says that a movement is on foot among Eastern Democrats opposed to Parker to cause nomination of Gorman for President and ex-Senator Towne of Minnesota for Vice-president.

Garfield's Son New Jersey Delegate.

TRENTON, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prof. Henry August Garfield of the Princton faculty, son of former President Garfield, was today chosen delegate to the Republican State convention at Trenton.

Congressman Cousins Renominated.

CEDAR RAPIDS (Iowa) May 5.—Congressman Robert G. Cousins was renominated by acclamation for the seventh term by the Fifth Iowa District Republicans today.

Socialists Nominate Debs.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Eugene V. Debs was this afternoon nominated as the Socialist candidate for President of the United States.

At Philadelphia the United States cruiser Denver, built at Neafie & Levy's shipyard, went into commission yesterday. The vessel was officially turned over to Capt. Wilde, commandant of the League Island navy yard.

GERMAN WORLD'S FAIR BUILDING DEDICATED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—The feature of today's programme at the World's Fair was the dedication of the German building, which was attended by Prince Hohenlohe, the Princess Elizabeth Hohenlohe, his sister; Prince Ratibor, cousin of Prince Hohenlohe; the Princess Ratibor, sister of Prince Ratibor, and Prince Victor Ratibor, the latter's nephew. Several members of the royal party will proceed to California after visiting the exposition for several days.

The reception today was held in the Hall of Oak, which contains the bronze statues of former emperors and reigning princes of Germany. Dr. Theodore Lewald, German commissioner to the fair received the guests.

The French section in the Fine Arts Palace was formally opened today. The guests were received by M. Andre Saglio, French commissioner of fine arts, who delivered a brief address.

Sir Cheng Tung Liang Cheng, Minister of China to the United States, arrived in St. Louis from Washington today to attend the banquet to be given Friday night by Prince Pu Lun, Imperial Chinese commissioner-general to the World's Fair.

JOBS ARE ALL TAKEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—The maximum of laborers employed on the World's Fair grounds has been reached, and from now on the number will be diminished daily as the exposition approaches completion.

Secretary Stevens tonight made the following statement: "Instead of having places for more salaried employés, the various departments of the exposition are now every day rapidly reducing the number heretofore employed. Very soon hundreds will have been laid off. By making this fact generally known the press will save many worthy people from wasting their time and money, and at the same time confer a favor and much-worried exposition chiefs. A false notion that there are still vacancies to be filled in the service of the exposition is bringing many young people from a distance to be disappointed in their hope of enjoying the exposition on a free pass and a comfortable salary."

A letter was received from Prince Kalaninaole of Hawaii, announcing that former Queen Lilnokalani, Princess Kalaninaole and himself would arrive within a few days to spend several weeks visiting the exposition.

"SECRET-SERVICE AGENT"

Story Told by Arthur S. Spencer of Pittsburgh, Who Demanded Money for "Protecting Chinese."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Judge Joseph Buffington of the United States District Court, today sentenced Arthur S. Spencer to two years imprisonement. Spencer is an educated man of Spanish-Chinese parentage. Speaking Chinese dialects, he represented to Chinamen here that he was a secret-service agent, and demanded money for protecting their countrymen who had been smuggled across the Canadian border. He had collected thousands of dollars in all sections of the country.

After being sentenced today, Spencer told Judge Buffington that his incarceration would annul a contract he had to supply 2000 Chinese coolies to labor on the Panama Canal, and for which he was to receive 25 cents per head per day.

FOUND AT LAST.

Young Miller, Heir to Fortune After Long Search Located in Sacramento Hospital.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—After a search covering the whole of the United States, George Miller, heir to more than $100,000, left him after he had been exiled from Brooklyn for three years, has been found at last.

While agents of his father's executors were looking for him all over the West he was tossing in delirium in a bed in the Sacramento County Hospital, in Sacramento, Cal. He is still in that institution, slowly recovering from a long run of typhoid fever. Miller does not know that his father is dead.

The search for Miller was brought to an end today when a friend in Brooklyn received a letter from the young man telling of his long illness. The letter was taken at once to the executor of the Miller estate and the young man will be brought home as soon as he is able to travel.

Miller has sisters to share with him the fortune of his father, which is estimated at nearly a million dollars.

LIBERTY BELL GOING.

Revolutionary Relic Will Make Tour of Louisiana Purchase, Then Stop at World's Fair.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—The Liberty Bell will be taken to St. Louis. This was decided upon today when both branches of the City Council passed a resolution appointing a special joint committee of twenty-four to escort the revolutionarys relics and appropriated $15,000 to defray the expenses.

The start will be made early in June, but before the old bell is placed in the Pennsylvania building at the fair it is proposed to pass through the principal cities in the States and Territories comprising the Louisiana purchase. These are Montana, North and South Dakota, Wyoming, Nebraska, Colorado, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, Indian Territory Louisiana and Oklahoma.

The bell will remain at St. Louis until the close of the exposition, and will be under a constant guard of Philadelphia policemen.

BIG DES MOINES STRIKE ENDS.

DES MOINES (Iowa) May 5.—With a satisfactory readjustment of the difficulties between employing plumbers and journeymen plumbers, by which fifty men resumed work today, it is announced that the big strike, involving 3500 men in Des Moines, is practically at an end. Both sides made concessions.

LEGALITY OF BOYCOTT.

Suit to Determine It and Also for Heavy Damages Filed at San Francisco.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—A suit to determine the legality of the boycott was filed today in the Superior Court. The plaintiff is Charles L. Pyal, an electrical engineer, and the defendants are the San Francisco Labor Council, several unions and various union officials, who are alleged to have entered into a conspiracy to injure Pyal's business because of his employment of non-union men. Several instances in which the boycott was used against him are specified in the complaint and $25,000 damages are demanded.

Bush Finnel, the head of the law department of the Citizens' Alliance is counsel for Pyal.

THE VERY LATEST.

WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Russians are retreating north toward Liao Yang. The Japanese are in hot pursuit, and the fighting is continuous.

There is some talk of Kouropatkin changing the entire plan of campaign, in view of this defeat, the gravity of which is now generally admitted.

ALIVE WITH RUMORS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The city is alive with rumors that a battle is in progress at Feng Wang Cheng. The authorities decline to confirm or deny the reports. This reticence is taken to mean that Sunday's battle has been renewed.

There is no confirmation of the earlier reports that the Japanese have invested Newchwang.

NUMBERS 60,000 MEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Japanese army, which, tonight's dispatches say, has effected a landing at Pitsewo, is undoubtedly the second army. Baron Oku commanding. It is composed of the Tokio, Osaka and Kunamoto divisions, and numbers 60,000 men, with 126 mountain and field guns.

The Kunamoto division operated against Port Arthur in 1894, and knows the ground thoroughly.

AFTER RECONNOISANCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHEFOO, May 6, 4 p.m.—The expected landing of the Japanese on the peninsula of Liao Tung commenced yesterday (Thursday,) according to reports received here from a reliable Japanese source. It is stated that the landing is being made on the eastern coast of the peninsula, opposite the Elliott Islands. After a reconnoisance from Takushan south by naval detachments, the Japanese concluded that a comparatively small force of Russian cavalry guarded the east coast.

PERSIANS GIVING AID.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TIFLIS (Trans-Caucasia) May 5.—It is reported that the visit of Grand Duke Michael, the heir apparent, to Teheran is due to the illness of the Shah. The Grand Duke will confer with the Governor regarding administrative, fiscal and army reforms. The Persians are contributing to the relief of the Russian wounded.

RUMORS OF FIGHTING BY LAND AND SEA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5, 6:15 p.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] There are rumors here, which cannot be traced to a responsible source, that the Russian troops in Northwestern Korea have swooped down upon the Japanese below the Yalu River, winning a big victory. The story is not credited.

AWFUL LOSSES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, May 5, 4:02 p.m.—A dispatch to the Central News from St. Petersburg says a rumor is current there that a second battle has been fought at Kiullencheng, in which the Russian loss was 7000; the Japanese loss 10,000 men and resulted in the Japanese being driven back in disorder. The dispatch adds that no confirmation of this report is obtainable.

THAT NAVAL BATTLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, May 5.—A dispatch to the Temps from St. Petersburg confirms previous reports to the effect that the Japanese fleet reappeared off Port Arthur yesterday, and that an engagement occurred off Genson (Wonson,) Korea, between a Japanese squadron and the Russian squadron from Vladivostok.

ADDITIONAL RUSSIAN VICTIMS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, May 5, 8 p.m.—A telegram has been received here from Gen. Kuroki, dated May 3, in which he reports that a careful search of the battlefield of last Sunday revealed 200 additional wounded and dead Russians. He expects that a complete search of the field will result in increasing this number.

Continuing, the Japanese general says that among the Russian prisoners is a medical field officer. The Japanese ordered him to assist them in caring for the Rusians and their own wounded. The officer obeyed, and he is now engaged in treating the wounded of both armies.

RUMORS OF SEA FIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5, 2:05 p.m.—There are persistent rumors of a naval engagement between the Vladivostok and Vice-Admiral Kamimura's squadrons, but no confirmation of the reports had been received here up to 1 o'clock this afternoon. The admiralty says no further news has been received here from Port Arthur.

FLEET OFF WEI-HAI-WEI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, May 5, 9 p.m.—Chinese junks which have arrived here report that a fleet of forty Japanese warships and transports was off Wei-Hai-Wei Tuesday, steaming northwest.

BOMBARDED FORTS AND TOWN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, May 5.—A Tokio dispatch to the Central News states that after the steamers had been sunk at the entrance of Port Arthur harbor, May 3, the Japanese fleet bombarded the forts and town. The bombardment was continued in the morning of May 4.

EXPECTED ATTACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORT ARTHUR, Wednesday, May 4.—[Delayed in transmission.] The enemy's ships were visible cruising on the horizon this evening and a fresh attack is anticipated.

It has been ascertained that 12 fireships participated in the latest attempt to block the entrance to the harbor. The wrecks of eight of these have been definitely located; the positions of two others are not yet known, and the remaining two, unable to withstand the terrific fire of the Russian guns, turned back. The average tonnage of the fireships exceeded 2000 tons. They were the Shibata, Kokura, Asagao, Mikawa, Totomi, Fudosan, Yedo, Nagato, Otaru, Sagami, Aikoku and Sakusa, the latter of 3000 tons.

[This dispatch, though written when the Russians had had opportunity to ascertain the location of eight of the ten sunken fireships, makes no mention, it will be noticed, of the blocking of the harbor entrance, as reported in Tokio. The first dispatch from Port Arthur expressly stated that the attack failed to close the channel.—Associated Press.]

URIU MAY BE BUSY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, May 5.—A dispatch to the Central News, dated Seoul, Tuesday, says: "Heavy cannonading was heard off Gensan (Wonson) Monday and this morning. It is supposed that Rear-Admiral Uriu's fleet has succeeded in engaging the Russian Vladivostok squadron.

[A rumor to the effect that the Japanese had succeeded in bringing the Russian Vladivostok squadron (of four cruisers) to battle off Vladivostok, was circulated in Paris yesterday, but up to this time no confirmation has been obtained. Evidently the dispatch refers to the same rumor.—Associated Press.]

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Oregon Land Grafters Plead Guilty in a Bunch.

Sacramento Valley Fruit Sent to World's Fair.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The lan frauds hearing was resumed toda with Henry P. Dimond again on th stand. The bulky letter file of this de fendant was produced, and as fast a Dimond admitted the writing of letter to Frederick A. Hyde or identified let ters received by him from the co-de fendant, they were admitted in ev idence.

A few letters from John A. Benso were also made a part of the case o the prosecution. Dimond again claime to be unfamiliar with the law governin the selection of lieu lands by the Stat but Attorney Heney, representing th Government, contended that certain le ters written by Dimond to Hyde showe an intimate knowledge of the statut in question.

ALL PLEAD GUILTY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) May 5.—The cas of Charles Cunningham, the Easter Oregon "sheep king;" Glen H. Halin heeley Jones and Dallas O'Har charged with conspiracy to defraud th United States government of publ lands, were brought to an abrupt a unexpected conclusion by pleas of guil being made when the defendants we arraigned in the United States Distric Court here today. Mark Shackelfor was the only one to plead not guilt and his trial was commenced this afte noon. Kate James was discharged f want of probable cause.

Cunningham, as the ringleader, w immediately sentenced to pay a fine $5000. The others were let off with fine of $100 in each case.

FRUIT FOR WORLD'S FAIR.

SACRAMENTO SHIPMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, May 5.—The Sacra mento Valley Development Associ tion sent today the first fruit shipme for the valley exhibits at St. Lou It was a box of fine Sacramento che ries.

The first box of cherries from Sa ramento county sold Thursday in Ch cago for $25. It was from the fa arm of D. D. Gammon and contain eight one-pound cartons.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Bishop Innocent Off to Sitka.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Bish Innocent, who has been in this ci temporarily in charge of the Gre Church, will leave immediately Sitka, to which diocese he was a pointed some months ago. Bishop Ti son is expected back here to resu charge of the western territory und his jurisdiction.

Stockton School Census.

STOCKTON, May 5.—The school ce sus, just completed, shows that in t city of Stockton and North Distri there are 3537 children of school age between 5 and 17 years of age. Th is a gain of ninety-two over last yea there are 4639 children 17 years o and under—a gain of 105.

Five-year-old Boy's Long Trip.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Amo the passengers alighting from t Southern Pacific's Atlantic Expre yesterday was Frederick E. Coggill five-year-old boy, who has complete journey believed to be unique in t history of transcontinental railroa Entirely unaccompanied, tagged th he might be properly directed and fo warded, the child came from Philade phia.

Editors of Grocery Paper Speak.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The N tional Association of Retail Groc today decided upon Cincinnati as t place of meeting for its next conve tion. The morning session was take up by reports from various committ and by listening to short addresses editors of grocery papers. The pape were discussed and suggestions offe as to the best way in which to adve tise grocery firms.

Did Not Charge "Human Being" Kill

SAN JOSE, May 5.—The Coun Clerk was officially informed this af ternoon that the Supreme Court has re versed the judgment of the Superi Court in the case of Nolberto Cor nado, found guilty of the murder Francisco Norcona, in 1901, and se tenced to life imprisonment. The co held that the information was defec tive, as it omitted to charge that t man killed was a "human being."

Department of Agriculture There.

SACRAMENTO, May 5.—Secreta Morris Brooke of the Sacramen Chamber of Commerce today receiv a letter from James M. Wilson, Secr ary of Agriculture, stating that t would arrange for C. G. Elliott of t Department to attend the river conve tion to be held in San Francisco M by the various commercial bodies Southern California.

Dam Gone, Town Threatened.

VANCOUVER, (B.C.) May 5.— word from Brandon says the dam the Electric power company of Sass toon, on the Saskatchewan River, nine miles from the town has been washed away and the town is expected. Already the low parts of the city are under water a grave fears are entertained for th company's water-pumping station. The da cost $75,000, and was repaired duri the past winter at an expense of se eral thousand dollars.

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The land frauds hearing was resumed today with Henry P. Dimond again on the stand. The bulky letter file of this defendant was produced, and as fast as Dimond admitted the writing of letters to Frederick A. Hyde or identified letters received by him from the co-defendant, they were admitted in evidence.

A few letters from John A. Benson were also made a part of the case of the prosecution. Dimond again claimed to be unfamiliar with the law governing the selection of lieu lands by the State, but Attorney Heney, representing the government, contended that certain letters written by Dimond to Hyde showed an intimate knowledge of the statutes in question.

ALL PLEAD GUILTY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) May 5.—The cases of Charles Cunningham, the Eastern Oregon "sheep king;" Glen H. Haling, Shesley Jones and Dallas O'Hara, charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States government of public lands, were brought to an abrupt and unexpected conclusion by pleas of guilty being made when the defendants were arraigned in the United States District Court here today. Mark Shackelford was the only one to plead not guilty, and his trial was commenced this afternoon. Kate James was discharged for want of probable cause.

Cunningham, as the ringleader, was immediately sentenced to pay a fine of $500. The others were let off with a fine of $100 in each case.

FRUIT FOR WORLD'S FAIR.

SACRAMENTO SHIPMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, May 5.—The Sacramento Valley Development Association sent today the first fruit shipment for the valley exhibits at St. Louis. It was a box of fine Sacramento cherries.

The first box of cherries from Sacramento county sold Thursday in Chicago for $5. It was from the fruit farm of D. D. Gammon and contained eight one-pound cartons.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Bishop Tikhon Off to Sitka.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Bishop Tikhon, who has been in this city temporarily in charge of the Greek Church, will leave immediately for Sitka, in which diocese he was appointed nine months ago. Bishop Tikhon is expected back here to resume charge of the western territory under his jurisdiction.

Stockton School Census.

STOCKTON, May 5.—The school census, just completed, shows that in the city of Stockton and North District there are 2537 children of school age—between 5 and 17 years of age. This is a gain of ninety-two over last year. There are 4639 children 17 years old and under—a gain of 105.

Five-year-old Boy's Long Trip.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Among the passengers alighting from the Southern Pacific's Atlantic Express yesterday was Frederick E. Coggsill, a five-year-old boy, who has completed a journey believed to be unique in the history of transcontinental railroads. Entirely unaccompanied, tagged that he might be properly directed and forwarded, the child came from Philadelphia.

Editors of Grocery Paper Speak.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The National Association of Retail Grocers today decided upon Cincinnati as the place of meeting for its next convention. The morning session was taken up by reports from various committees and by listening to short addresses by editors of grocery papers. The papers were discussed and suggestions offered as to the best way in which to advertise grocery firms.

Did Not Charge "Human Being" Killed.

SAN JOSE, May 5.—The County Clerk was officially informed this afternoon that the Supreme Court has reversed the judgment of the Superior Court in the case of Nolberto Corono, found guilty of the murder of Pedro Norona in 1901, and sentenced to life imprisonment. The court held that the information was defective, as it omitted to charge that the man killed was a "human being."

Department of Agriculture There.

SACRAMENTO, May 5.—Secretary Harris Brooke of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce today received a letter from James M. Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, stating that he will arrange for C. G. Elliott of the department to attend the river convention to be held in San Francisco May 20 of the various commercial bodies of Northern California.

Dam Gone, Town Threatened.

VANCOUVER, (B.C.) May 5.—A message from Brandon says the dam of the electric power company of Assiniboine River, nine miles from that city, has been washed away and as was expected. Already the lower part of the city are under water and fears are entertained for the water-pumping station. The dam cost $40,000, and was repaired during the last winter at an expense of seventeen thousand dollars.

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PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]! The weather today was cloudy and warm, the average temperature 60 deg., being two above normal. The maximum temperature was 69 deg.; minimum 56. The weather forecaster sees rain for tomorrow in every direction. Heavy thunder and electrical displays will be the features of the disturbance in the lake region. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 54; Bismarck, 68; Cairo, 66; Cheyenne, 56; Cincinnati, 74; Cleveland, 68; Concordia, 76; Davenport, 74; Denver, 60; Des Moines, 70; Detroit, 70; Dodge City, 74; Dubuque, 72; Duluth, 42; Escanaba, 52; Grand Rapids, 74; Green Bay, 68; Helena, 54; Huron, 62; Indianapolis, 66; Kansas City, 58; Marquette, 68; Memphis, 74; Milwaukee, 54; North Platte, 62 Omaha, 66; Rapid City, 60; St. Louis, 70; St. Paul, 60; Sault Saint Marie, 62; Springfield, Ill., 68; Springfield, Mo., 74; Wichita, 60.

DR. DEWEY'S RESIGNATION.

The resignation of Dr. John Dewey as director of the Emmons Blaine School of Education of the University of Chicago, and the professorship of the university, it now appears is the culmination of the inability of Dr. Dewey to submit to the dictation of President Harper and the officials of the university. The fact became public at the university today that at least twice during the past year, Dr. Dewey threatened to resign because of what he believed to be unfair interference by university officials, in suggesting the policy that should be followed by the school.

WEST SIDE WIDOW'S SUIT.

Anna Maud Jewell Wilson, a handsome West Side widow, today filed suit for $25,000 damages in a breach-of-promise complaint against David C. Schnell, son of the late P. Schnell, a wealthy member of the Chicago Board of Trade.

GREAT ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANDUSKY (O.) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The annual pilgrimage of Our Lady of Consolation Church occurred today and twenty priests and thousands of pilgrims participated in the celebration. The church contains a statue of the Holy Virgin and Child, which is said to contain a piece of the true cross. The day the figure was placed in the church a violent storm occurred. It is said that not a drop of rain fell on the bearers, but a ray of sunshine instead.

HEIRS AND TRUSTEES AGREE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MISHAWAKA (Ind.) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The contest over a bequest of the late Martin V. Beiger was disposed of today through an agreement between the heirs and trustees of De Paw University. Fifty thousand dollars will be divided pro rata between De Paw University, the New York Chatauqua Assembly, the South Bend Epworth Hospital, the Home for Superannuated Methodist Ministers and the local Methodist Church.

PLATONIC AFFECTION CASE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Platonic affection constituted the theme of a Supreme Court decision handed down today by Justice Weaver in the case of A. P. Christensen against A. P. Thompson for alienation. Justice Weaver says that while it is possible the affection of Thompson for Mrs. Christensen was merely platonic, as claimed, the testimony of persons who peered under window shades and through knot holes was sufficient to cause any trusting husband a pardonable pang of jealousy.

PROMINENT DIVINE DEAD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA (Neb.) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rev. Alexander Graham Wilson of Bellevue College died this morning of pneumonia. He was 70 years old. Dr. Wilson was one of the best-known divines in the West. At one time he held the chair of Latin at Lake Forest University.

JUSTICE USED A LAUNCH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LA CROSSE (Wis.) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After an alleged assault on Mrs. Annie Holt of Lansing, south of this city, Emmett Wallace fled in an open boat. Sheriff Thomson and a posse pursued in a gasoline launch and overtook the fellow as he neared Harper's Ferry. He was brought back in chains and secreated to prevent a threatened attempt at summary vengeance.

ANOTHER FRUITLESS STRIKE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Des Moines plumbers, whose refusal to accept the demands of their employers for an open shop precipitated a general strike April 1, returned to work this morning without having gained a concession.

USED EGG SHELL SKIN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WHEATON (Ill.) May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Byron McCain, an employé of the Aurora Elgin and Chicago Electric Railway, who received 26,000 volts of electricity through his right arm, has recovered by the grafting of skin from egg shells. McCain's arm was burned to a charred mass.

ALMOST RENDERED FREE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Marie Russe, a woman who has fasted forty days, according to New Testament precedent, tonight collapsed into delirium, had her door broken in by the neighbors and was herself sent by the police to the Chicago Hospital, where her recovery is considered doubtful. Miss Russe is a teacher of music and neighbors say she is of a fanciful and exalted temperament. Lately she came under the influence of Otoman Zar Adusht, a Persian sun worshipper, who enjoys great vogue among the seekers after new religious truths. The teachings of the oriental seem to have increased her mysticism and she is reported to have frequently said that the spirit only could be rendered free by the subjugation of the flesh.

CRIPPLED BY RAIN.

Severe Storm at Kansas City Puts Water Service Out of Business and Ties up Street-car Lines—Iowa Tornado.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) May 5.—The rain storm that ended tonight was of extraordinary severity, its most serious result being the crippling of the city water service. A thirty-inch main leading from the Turkey Creek pumping station was washed out and the other main, a 40-inch pipe, was bent. If this bent main gives way the water will be shut off entirely. As it is, much of the city is without water supply and the remaining portion has a limited flow.

Street cars in the city were delayed on nearly all lines by high water on the tracks, and the new branch to the Elm Ridge race track suffered a huge washout while 2000 people were at the track. They struggled home afoot or in carriages. It is believed to be impossible to restore the railway in time for tomorrow's races.

The Kansas avenue bridge, over which street cars cross the Kansas River between the stockyards district and Armourdale, is in danger tonight, but is still intact. The Kansas River is above the danger line and rising. Electric lights are shut off in a large part of the city.

A thousand people have been driven from their homes in Rosedale, Kan., and Kansas City, Kan., by the overflow of Turkey Creek.

John Dowpey, a laborer, was killed by lightning at the oil refinery in the East Bottoms. City Hall, the Savoy Hotel and the building occupied by Swofford Brothers, wholesale dry goods company, were struck by lightning, but none of the buildings were seriously damaged.

LIVES REPORTED LOST.

TORNADO IN TEXAS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

FORT WORTH (Tex.) May 5.—A special to the Record from Cisco, Tex., says:

"It is reported here that many people were killed and much property and live stock was destroyed by a tornado just south of Moran, 18 miles north of here. Wires are down and it is impossible at this time to get particulars. Relief parties cannot start on account of impassibility of the roads. At Moreland, in Shackleford county, several people are known to have been killed."

A tornado is also reported in Harker county, near Weatherford, with several lives lost.

IOWA TORNADO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEROKEE (Iowa) May 5.—A tornado which passed through this county today destroyed several houses and barns near Meriden. The buildings were totally demolished, but no lives were lost.

A severe wind blew here during the progress of the storm that did the damage at Meriden, which is six miles north of here, but no damage was done in the immediate vicinity.

The tornado that struck Meriden swept a path forty rods wide and a mile long. No lives were lost and nobody was seriously injured.

STRIKES OKLAHOMA TOWN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) May 5.—A tornado is reported to have struck the town of Bridgepodt, O. T., this afternoon. No details of the damage have been received.

CROPS DESTROYED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WICHITA (Kan.) May 5.—A telephone message to the Eagle from Carmen, Okla., states that a tornado started at Helena and passed through Timberlake, extending to Alva. It cut a swath six miles long and one and a half miles wide, destroying crops and some buildings at Timberlake. Damaging hail fell in that section, but no lives were lost.

NO LOSS OF LIFE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OKLAHOMA (Okla.) May 5.—A special from Bridgeport says a cyclone passed three miles west of that place this afternoon, going northward. It is also reported that Cordell was visited by a tornado and that considerable property was destroyed, but wires are down west of Bridgeport, and rumors cannot be verified.

No loss of life has been reported. Efforts are being made to secure communication with the sections visited by the storm, all of which are in the western portion of the Territory.

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Collapse of Colorado Strike. Santa Fe Not Troubled.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The issue of "open shop" versus "closed shop" in the shipyard strike is likely to mean a long battle between the unions and the employers in the shipbuilding trade. The action of 5000 boilermakers and 2000 helpers in going on strike has given employers just the opportunity they wanted to declare unconditionally for the "open shop."

The "open shop" has existed in the shipyards for the past year, but conditionally. That is, while employers did not agree to employ none but union men, they signed certain trade agreements with boilermakers and other unions, for the sake of peace, after the strike of the boilermakers last year.

In the present situation the issue is clearly defined and the employers issued an ultimatum to the striking union today, when H. C. Hunter, secretary of the New York Metal Trades Association, with which practically all shipyards in and about New York are affiliated, said:

"The 'open shop' existed in the yards last year, though an agreement was made with the union and no word was said in it about employing union men. The 'open shop' will rule from now on in the yards without any agreement whatever with the union.

"If any of the strikers come back they will have to come back as individuals. Employers are firm in standing by the 'open shop' for all future time. The boilermakers have raised the issue by the present strike. We will sign no more agreements with the union."

The present strike ties up for the time being all shipyards here and also yards at Hoboken, Jersey City and Elizabethport.

COLORADO STRIKE DECLARED OFF.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION HAS WITHDRAWN ITS SUPPORT.

Mitchell Gives Gov. Peabody Straight Tip Which Explains Collapse of Costly Contest in Coal Fields—Small Fry "Leaders" Deny that Such is the Case, However.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PUEBLO, May 4.—From a telegram from H. M. Simpson, secretary of the Victor Fuel Company in this city, it is inferred that the coal strike in the southern coal fields is declared off. No details are given, but it is understood the reason for declaring the strike at an end is the failure of the national organization of the United Mine Workers of America to further support the Colorado strikers. No communication has yet been received from the headquarters of the national organization.

MITCHELL SAW GOV. PEABODY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PUEBLO, May 5.—In an interview this morning Gov. James H. Peabody said he was informed while in St. Louis by President John Mitchell that the ntaional organization had withdrawn its support from the Colorado miners, and to this fact he attributed the collapse of the strike in the Southern Colorado fields.

CONTRADICTORY LETTER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TRINIDAD, May 5.—William Maher, who is in charge of the coal miners' strike in the absence of W. H. Fairley, today received a letter from President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, stating that it was the sense of the recent meeting of the executive board at Indianapolis that the strike in district 15 should continue, and that financial aid will be sent from the national treasury, as heretofore.

ALSO DENIES DEFEAT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS, May 5.—Secretary Wilson of the United Mine Workers said today that there was no change in the Colorado situation, that the strike has not been declared off, and that the national organization has not withdrawn its support.

TO FIGURE UP THE COST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DENVER (Colo.) May 5.—The Executive Committee of the Western Federation of Miners has been called to meet in this city May 11. The gathering will be an important one, for the present strike will be considered and the books audited. The committee will also set a date for the holding of the postponed convention of the organization.

STRIKERS PICKET SANTA FE.

OVERSTEP BOUNDS AT TIMES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) May 5.—Picket line patrols by the union machinists is the principal noticeable feature in the Santa Fé shopmens' strike at Topeka. They are warned to keep away from the railroad property, but overstep the bounds occasionally.

General Manager Mudge of the Santa Fé railroad says few of the union machinists are coming back to work along the system, but that the road is finding no trouble in securing the required help to keep up the engines and the shops running.

J. D. Buchalew, who is directing the machinists' strike at this place, said today that the association would probably submit a proposition for settlement within the next forty-eight hours.

"It is not a closed shop that we want," he said, "but a contract, so that the machinists may have a ready idea of the work to be required of them, of which they now have a very vague idea."

COMPANY AHEAD IN CONTEST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) May 5.—Up to this time, the indications are that the Santa Fé is ahead is the contest with the International Association of Machinists regarding the strike on the system. None of the engines of the company have been injured, and the only delay to trains has been caused by the rains.

Within forty-eight hours the machinists will submit a proposition to the management of the road for the settlement of the strike. They will not insist on a "closed shop," according to the statement of Third Vice-president Buckalew, but want a definite contract with the road after the fashion of those held by the engineers, firemen and others.

Reports from various points long the system indicate that some of the strikers are going back to work. At Peoria, the president of the local union has deserted the ranks of the strikers.

General Manager Mudge is well satisfied with the situation.

"OPEN SHOP" HEREAFTER.

CHICAGO FIRMS IN REVOLT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, May 5.—Five thousand members of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union are idle as the result of a lockout declared by six of the largest shoe factories in Chicago.

The manufacturers have notified the national officers that they will discontinue the use of the union stamps and hereafter run the factories as "open shops."

ARGUING MOYER'S CASE.

PROCEEDINGS AT DENVER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DENVER, May 5.—Arguments on the writ of habeas corpus issued on behalf of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who has been deprived of his freedom since March 30 by order of Gov. Peabody, and is now held as a military prisoner at Telluride, which is under martial law, were heard before the State Supreme Court today.

The question at issue is whether the Governor of the State has authority to establish military rule for the purpose of the suppressing of what he termed "a state of insurrection and rebellion," due to acts of strikers, in his proclamation declaring martial law in Teller, San Miguel and Las Animas counties. Gov. Peabody denies the jurisdiction of the court in the case of Moyer, and claims the right to suspend the writs of courts and to arrest and hold as military prisoners any persons whom he deems guilty of inciting "insurrection."

STEVENS DISCHARGES JURORS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TELLURIDE (Colo.) May 5.—Judge Theron Stevens today ordered the jurors summoned for the May term of the District Court in this city to be discharged. All cases pending before the court will go over until the next term. Judge Stevens explained his action by saying that owing to existing conditions in San Miguel county, which is under military rule, juries could accomplish little, if anything, in the trial of cases.

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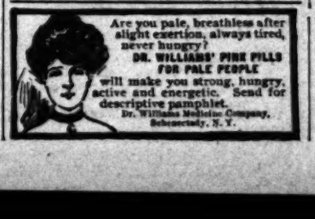

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POLICY FOR CANAL ZONE.

Important Conference Held at the White House.

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Training Station for San Diego—Customs Duties.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—An important conference was held at the White House tonight, at which the general policy to be followed by the administration in the framing of rules and regulations for the Panama Canal zone were agreed on. This policy provides for instructions to be issued by the President, through the Secretary of war, to the Canal Commission for the administration of affairs on the strip, following very much the practice in vogue in the Philippines, where the acts of the commission are subject to the approval of the Secretary of War.

There were present at the conference Secretary Taft, Attorney-General Knox and Chairman Walker and the other members of the Canal Commission now in the city. The members of the commission explained to the President the conditions of affairs on the isthmus, as they found them, and made recommendations for the government of the strip.

They will embody these recommendations in a written communication to the President, who will submit them to Secretary Taft and Attorney-General Knox for such modifications and suggestions as they deem best. After the rules and regulations have been finally drafted and approved by the President, the latter will issue them to the commission through the Secretary of War. It is expected that the instructions will follow the same general lines as those laid down for the Philippines, but with such modification as the various conditions who is to sail. Meantime Gen. Davis who is to sail from New York next Tuesday, will be "administrator" of the canal strip until the new instructions are put into effect.

It was stated tonight that there was no intention on the part of the administration to dispatch troops to the isthmus. The marines now there will be retained for the preservation of peace and order, and will be replaced from time to time as the health of the men makes it advisable.

HERRAN TO RETURN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Through Mr. Andrews, the Colombian Consul-General in New York, the State Department has learned that Dr. Herran, the Columbian charge, who formally withdrew from Washington, about two months ago, will soon return to this city in the same capacity, indicating a complete restoration of friendly relations between the United States and Colombia.

UNITED STATES WARSHIPS. CRUISE ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—A representative fleet of United States warships left Pensacola today for a cruise across the Atlantic and into the Mediterranean. It includes four battleships of the North Atlantic fleet and the newly-organized European squadron. The joint squadrons are under the command of Rear-Admiral Barker, commander-in-chief of the North Atlantic fleet.

The European squadron is commanded by Rear-Admiral Jewell. The fleet is composed of the battleships Kearsarge, Iowa, Alabama and Maine and the cruisers Olympia, Cleveland and Baltimore.

FOR DOMINICAN WATERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Orders have been sent to the Bancroft, Newport and Scorpion to proceed to Dominican waters for duty there with the Detroit.

MILITARY CUSTOMS DUTIES. ON GOODS TO PHILIPPINES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The court of claims today decided that duties collected on goods shipped from the United States to the Philippines after the treaty of peace with Spain and before the establishment of civil government were rightfully collected, although by military authority and not by law. The decision follows the insular decision of the Supreme Court in that the Philippines are United States territory. The case decided was the claim of Warner, Barnes & Co., a British corporation, which sued the United States for $81,126. Other claims resting on exactly the same foundation aggregate between $7,000,000 and $8,000,000. By the decision, this amount will be saved to the government.

Warner, Barnes & Co. sued for tariffs collected at Manila upon importations of merchandise from the United States, after the treaty of peace with Spain, and it was argued that, under the authority of the consular cases lately decided by the Supreme Court of the United States, the levy and collection of such tariffs was illegal, for the reason that, at the time of such collection, the Philippine archelpelago was not a foreign country in respect to the United tates, after exchange of ratifications of the treaty by the governments of the United States and Spain. Judge Wright, in rendering the opinion, followed the decision of the insular case, and decided that the Philippine Islands were foreign country in respect to the United States, but distinguished the case from the insular cases, holding that a state of war existed throughout the islands between the United States and the Philippines, to the extent that the treaty was protection and all other merely civil law was for the time being suspended and superseded by military law, until such time as it might be possible to establish civil administrative and judicial authority to enforce the civil law, and during such period of suspension of the civil law, the power of the military commander was absolute, and that he might lawfully prohibit or restrict the trade or commerce, and as a condition to commerce within his military district, might impose contribution to assist in the expenses of the war and such care of indigent non-combatants as humanity might require.

The court held that the tariffs paid by Warner, Barnes & Co., were not levied or collected by virtue of the statutes of the United States, nor by authority of any general law, nor in the exercise of civil power of the government, but were collected solely as a military contribution as a condition annexed to the privilege of importing goods upon which the duties were levied. That the President, as commander-in-chief of the army and navy, by whose order the collections were made, had the same powers, in time of war, as other civilized governments, and that his exercise of them needed no authority or ratification by Congress to give his action in that respect effective force, although Congress did, as a matter of fact, ratify the same.

The opinion of the court is further to the effect that the privilege of sailing away with the goods was not prohibited to Warner, Barnes & Co., and while it was prohibited from landing the merchandise without first making payment of the duties, this did not deprive the payment of its voluntary character, and it is held there was acquiescence in the payment and use of the money so paid, and judgment was given that plaintiffs could not recover.

STILL PLAYING ROLE OF BOSS.

TOM HAYS DOING POLITICS IN RIVERSIDE JAIL.

Bank Wrecker Sends Out Orders that None but Hays Henchmen Must be Elected to Office—P. T. Evans His Trusty Outside Man. Trap Set for Honest Voters.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From his cell in the County Jail, Tom Hays, bank wrecker and embezzler, is trying to dictate the politics of Riverside county. His attempted manipulations of political affairs have been marked by such shrewdness that many honest voters came near being led blindly into a trap set by Hays and his gang, the purpose of which is to perpetuate the Hays crowd of official grafters in power.

Despite the fact that the penitentiary stares him in the face, Hays has declared that only men friendly to him shall be nominated at the County Convention next Tuesday, and his emissaries are trying to carry out his wishes.

His chief representative now is P. T. Evans, and whatever Evans may espouse politically may be taken to mean that it is really Hays who is behind the deal. The issue is, therefore, clearly defined.

The voters of Riverside county may take notice that the candidates whom Evans is boosting are Hays candidates. If honesty is to prevail in Riverside county those supported by the Hays-Noyes-Evans outfit will be defeated.

The gage of battle has been accepted in the contest for the Republican nomination for Supervisor to succeed Supervisor Dunbar. The Hays gang is booming Bradford Morse for the place. It cannot be asserted positively that Morse is a party to this, although it is rumored that he has gone over to the Hays crowd, and he has not publicly denied it. Whatever may be the feelings of Morse, the Hays-Noyes-Evans outfit has made him its candidate, and that unholy gang is doing all it possibly can to secure his nomination and election. They think it would give them some hold upon county affairs.

On the other hand, Harry Bantz, who is opposing Morse for the nomination, is an implacable enemy of the Hays gang, and his election would mean an elimination of the Hays influence from the Board of Supervisors, in so far as one member is able to eliminate it. Both Morse and Bantz are members of the present grand jury and will be called upon to pass upon matters affecting Hays, but Morse is the weaker of the two, and has before been selected by Hays as his candidate.

Evans has been in almost daily consultation with Hays at the County Jail, and his utterances on the streets on political matters come directly from the ex-boss, who is almost certain to do time as a felon. Hays has been using the long-distance telephone and sending his orders to various districts throughout the county, telling those whom he controls what he expects of them. Evans after his consultations with Hays, has reported at once to Judge Noyes, telling him what Hays wants, and one result is that Noyes is supporting Morse.

Harry Bantz has the advantage among the instructed delegates, but his friends assert that if necessary his opponents will use money against him in the convention. The respectable element of the party is behind Bantz, not because they consider Morse anything but respectable, but because Morse is handicapped either by his Hays affiliations or Hays's support, or both.

What is true of the Supervisorial fight, the Hays gang would like to have true of the contest for Assemblyman. Frank Lewis is practically beaten for renomination, and, knowing this, Hays, Noyes, Evans, et al., concocted the scheme to throw E. A. Chase into the fight to defeat Miguel Estudillo. Mr. Chase, however, was wise enough to see through this scheme, and promptly declined to enter the contest. Unless some new man is entered, in whom the people have implicit confidence, the nomination of Estudillo to the Assembly appears to be assured. If it be accomplished it will be the first signal political defeat for the Hays-Noyes gang.

DOWN A PRECIPICE.

Party of Eastern Tourists Saved from Death in Yellowstone National Park Only by Bush.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LIVINGSTON (Mont.) May 5.—A party of tourists traveling through Yellowstone National Park yesterday had a narrow escape from being dashed to death in a chasm along the Golden Gate road.

Driver August Getz, in charge of a coach containing five passengers, all easterners, encountered a bad piece of road, throwing the stage to one side, and precipitating it over the side of a precipice. As the vehicle rolled over it was caught by brush and its descent stayed for an instant, during which the passengers managed to extricate themselves and escape. The stage, becoming loosened, fell to the bottom of the cañon, 700 feet, killing the horses and demolishing the vehicles.

All the passengers were painfully bruised.

THE GREAT WAR.

(Continued from First Page.)

struction. It was a miracle of heroism and fortitude that they escaped, after staying and inflicting such tremendous losses on the enemy. Gen. Kuroki probably has eight divisions available for an immediate advance. This force will be joined by Gen. Oku's army when the latter is landed. The Japanese have every reason to follow the southern road, where they will have the advantage of the cooperation of their ships. The roads are less difficult and mountainous through the Feng Wang Cheng district, but the Japanese must dispose of the Russian force at Feng Wang Cheng before they can cut off Liao Tung."

A high officer of the staff who does not believe the Japanese will make an immediate advance on Manchuria, said to the correspondent of the Associated Press: "They are too careful to commit such a blunder as to expose their flank to the Russians stationed at Feng Wang Cheng. I think they will fortify their position at the Yalu, and may land troops at Taku Shan and hold the seashore, but in no wise will they advance across to Liao Tung, where they might be taken on either flank by Gen. Kouropatkin from Liao Yang and Gen. Stoessel from the south."

IN THE MATTER OF LOANS. RUSSIANS AIDED BY FRANCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, May 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Parties connected with the negotiations for the Russian loan give out the following statement:

"The loan is not yet signed, but it is certain that it will not be long deferred. M. Nottinguer, representing French financiers, is now at St. Petersburg, arranging details. It is understood that it will be at 5 per cent. for five years, and that it will sell between 98 and 98.50."

A representative of one of the banks forming the syndicate writing the loan, said:

"We consider the loan closed in principle but some details remain to be settled. The amount will be $200,000,000, and, as previously announced, at 5 per cent. for five years. The selling price is slightly above 98. The entire amount has already been taken. Besides the French banks subscribing, a number of Belgian banks have also subscribed. The entire issue will be made at one time, not in three parts, as reported.

"The main detail, which M. Nottinguer is in St. Petersburg to arrange, is the denominations of the coupons. We do not wish a higher coupon than $2000; as high denominations are inconvenient to negotiate. The readiness with which the full amount has been subscribed shows the solidity of the Russian credit. This is in contrast to the rates Japan pays. She realizes about 93 for a 6 per cent. bond after pledging customs, while Russia realizes over 98 on a 5 per cent. bond.

FIFTY MILLIONS FOR JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, May. 5.—Further inquiries show that a Japanese loan of $50,000,000 will be issued next week. It will take the form of 7 year, 6 per cent. bonds, and the issue price probably will be 93½, the security being a first charge on the Japanese customs. The loan will be issued simultaneously in New York and London, the only detail remaining to be determined being regarding the amount which shall be allotted to each city.

M. Tahakshi, the Japanese financial agent in London, says the money will not be sent to Japan, but will be employed in paying the balance of trade. He adds that in his opinion no other loans will be required by Japan before the conclusion of the war.

It was definitely arranged this afternoon that one-half of the Japanese loan will go to the United States, and it was understood that Kuhn, Loeb & Company will handle it in America. The Stock Exchange put a nominal premium of 1¼ on the projected loan today.

KOUROPATKIN GOES TO INSPECT TROOPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5, 1 p.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Gen. Kouropatkin has gone to the front from Liao Yang to inspect the situation personally. Troops are being hurried forward from the Liao Yang and Mukden line to a position near Feng Wang Cheng. All the Russian wounded have been sent back toward Liao Yang in order not to encumber the operations of the Russian army.

It appears evident that Gen. Kouropatkin is preparing to give battle to Gen. Kuroki's army if circumstances warrant. Private reports are to the effect that the fighting blood of the Russian soldiers is up, and that they are thirsting for an opportunity to avenge the slaughter on the Yalu, but although the commander-in-chief is greatly chagrined at the miscarriage of his plans on the Yalu, there is no idea here that he will act rashly on that account. His decision as to the extent of the opposition he will make at Feng Wang Cheng depends upon the location and success of Japanese landings in Manchuria. Descents or attempted landings are now momentarily anticipated near Newchwang and the head of Korea Bay. Occupying an interior line and pursuing the tactics of Napoleon, Kouropatkin's problem will be to prevent a juncture of the enemy's forces. It is necessary for him to await the development of the Japanese plans and ascertain the direction, strength and whence the other column will come before deciding how to fight his adversary in detail.

It is believed here that the Japanese plans for concerted action have been embarrassed by their failure to block the entrance to Port Arthur, Tuesday, and a repetition of the attack on the Russian Gibraltar is momentarily expected.

Vice-Admiral Togo's fleet was sighted off Port Arthur last night, and, indeed, unconfirmed rumors say he attacked at daylight this morning, and that fighting is now in progress there. At least, the cutting-off of Port Arthur, if not the fate of the fortress depends, in the opinion of the General Staff, upon Gen. Kouropatkin's preventing a juncture of the Japanese forces. It is understood here that Gen. Zassalitch has already been relieved of his command for disobedience of orders, and that his action is under investigation.

A BIT OF HISTORY.

In connection with the obstinate stand made by the Russians at the Yalu, against instructions and in face of an overwhelming superiority of men and especially of guns, an interesting bit of the history of what occurred during the maneuvers near St. Petersburg last summer is being recounted, which illustrates this trait in Gen. Zassalitch's character. He commanded an infantry division, and insisted on storming heights commanded by artillery and in the face of a fire which theoretically wiped out his command. The judges were so disgusted that they rewarded the blunder with a zero mark against the general's name.

Under the old rules and traditions of the Russian army, the Second and Third Batteries of the Third Artillery Brigade, and the Third battery of the Third Brigade, which lost their guns at the battle of Kuliencheng, would be stricken from the army list forever. The names of batteries losing guns and those of regiments losing their colors, or otherwise disgracing themselves, formerly disappeared from the list. This was the case of the celebrated Immortal Hussars, in 1825, which participated in the conspiracy against Emperor Nicholas. Only a few years ago the regulation was rescinded, owing to a realization of the fact that it would work great injustice in the case of batteries and regiments forced by circumstances to sacrifice themselves, as was the case Sunday.

No further official news has been received regarding the Russian losses, but Gen. Kashtalinsky's estimate, 2000 men, is accepted as representing practically their full extent.

It is generally believed that the Japanese lost between 3000 and 4000 men. This is based upon reports of eye-witnesses. There has been absolutely no statement of the number of prisoners captured by the Japanese, but the General Staff is inclined to admit that 300 men were captured, though the staff asserts that it has no actual means of knowing definitely how many prisoners were in the hands of the Japanese.

Not a single nespaper dispatch has yet been receiyed, beyond the several colorless telegrams from the Russian headquarters at Liao Yang, which simply repeat the official news. A correspondent of the Novosti who was at the front was killed.

ALEXIEFF TO MEET HIM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5, 6:15 p.m.—Viceroy Alexieff has left Port Arthur to confer with Gen. Kouropatkin at Liao Yang, to which place the general will return immediately after an inspection of the troops at Feng Wang Cheng. Rear-Admiral Wittseoft, chief of staff to Viceroy Alexieff, has been left in charge of the naval forces at Port Arthur.

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The effect of the disaster to Russian arms on the Yalu upon the Chinese is being watched with keen interest and considerable apprehension. The Russian government appears to be satisfied with the situation for the moment and Paul Lessar, the Russian Minister at Peking is making daily reports to the Foreign Office. The report received from the Minister today contains nothing disquieting.

The Peking government, according to Russian reports, seems to be acting in good faith, and insists that it is intent upon preserving neutrality. It is turning a deaf ear to the appeals of anti-Russian leaders, who want China to throw in her lot with Japan, and is doing all possible to suppress anti-foreign agitation among the people.

Nevertheless, the Russian authorities regard China as a powder magazine. They realize the danger and the necessity for constant pressure on the part of the Russian government. The danger of an anti-foreign movement throughout the Chinese Empire exists, not only for Russia, but for all the powers, and Russia has at least three times since the outbreak of the war addressed the powers on the subject, the last time being less than ten days ago. The answers received uniformly show a full appreciation of the need of exercising a restraining influence on Peking, and all the powers are cooperating to this end.

NEW NORTHERN ROUTE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, May 5.—The Journal's St. Petersburg correspondent has had an interview with Gen. Vilkitsky, chairman of the committee appointed to examine into the possibility of establishing a northern route to the Far East in the course of which the general said the commission was unanimously of the opinion that such a route was practicable during two summer months, and was so far preferable to the Suez route that efforts ought to be made to overcome the difficulties in the way of making use of it.

FOREIGN OBSERVERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, KOREA, May 5, 8:45 p. m.—The fourteen foreign military observers who have been assigned to the first Japanese column have arrived at Chemulpo on the steamer Suminoye Maru. The party left Tokio April 30.

"THE IMPERIAL IMAGE."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, May 6.—The Standard's Tien-Tsin correspondent says it is reported that the Dowager Empress of China has consented to sit for her photograph in order that the people may be able to worship the Imperial image, as is done in Japan.

SHROUDED IN MYSTERY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, May 6.—The Tokio correspondent of the Times says the strategical plans of the Japanese General Staff are still shrouded in mystery. The correspondent also says it is regarded as certain that the transport Haginoura Maru, which has been reported as missing, is identical with the Japanese steamer Nikamura Maru, which the Russians sank April 26.

LOCOMOTIVE FOR JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—The last of twenty-four locomotives built in a hurry in this city for the Japanese government have been boxed and sent to New York for shipment to the Far East. Some of the locomotives have been sent to Japan, via San Francisco. At the request of the Japanese government, the utmost secrecy was maintained in shipping the engines, for fear they might in some way fall into the hands of the Russians.

CAPTURED JAP'S PERIL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5.—Japan is anxiously inquiring as to the fate of the Japanese captured by Vice-Admiral Makaroff's ships during their raid near the Miatso Islands. The men are being held prisoners, as the steamer, which was sunk by the Russians, had on board guns, mines and a wireless telegraph outfit.

ASKS FOR 2000 BEDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5.—Gen. Kouropatkin has requested the Russian Red Cross Society to supply 2000 more beds for the soldiers at the front.

"PRISONERS'" BUREAU.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5.—Regulations for a prisoners' bureau drawn up by a special commission of the Foreign Office under the presidency of De Maartens, recently president of The Hague court, which decided the Pius Fund claims, are practically finished, and it is expected that they will be promulgated within two days. Complete information regarding all Japanese prisoners will be available from this bureau, and communications with the friends of the prisoners at home will be arranged. It is believed that a reciprocal agreement will be perfected, by which each belligerent power will furnish to the other a general report on the number and condition of the prisoners, at stated intervals, probably fortnightly, the reports to be made through the French legation at Tokio and the United States embassy at St. Petersburg.

WILL UNDERWRITE JAP LOAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—Confirmation of the report that Kuhn, Loeb & Company, will underwrite a part, probably half, of the Japanese loan, comes from authoritative sources. It is understood that certain leading financial interests will be associated with Kuhn, Loeb & Company, who will be the syndicate managers. J. P. Schiff, head of Kuhn, Loeb & Company, is in London, it is said, and is supposed to have arranged for the loan today. It is believed that a round dozen of banks and other financial institutions will participate in the loan.

WARSHIPS NEAR KINCHOU.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEWCHWANG, May 5.—Five Japanese warships, with a large number of transports have been seen near Kinchou Bay, on the west coast of the Liao Tung Peninsula, north of Port Arthur.

ATTACHES SHIPWRECKED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—A transport which was conveying the foreign military attachés to the scene of war has been wrecked, striking a rock near Shimoneski, acording to a World dispatch from Tokio. The attachés are being carried by another steamer to their destinaton.

DAMAGED RUSSIAN WARSHIPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, May 5, 9 p.m.—A native Sikh of British India, who left Port Arthur a week ago, has arrived here. He says that in the inner harbor at Port Arthur there are seven damaged Russian warships, including the battleships Retvizan, Czarevitch and Pobieda, and the cruisers Pallada and Bayan. The small dock at the Tiger's Tail has been completed.

Civilians at Port Arthur are now experiencing difficulty in obtaining food.

A former officer of the Chinese army who has returned here from Manchuria is authority for the statement that there are less than 75,000 Russian troops, including the garrison at Port Arthur and the men on the Yalu, south of Harbin, and that the Russians now occupy a strongly fortified position between Kuliencheng and Feng Wang Cheng.

EXPEDITIONS AGAINST BRIGANDS

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—Dispatches from Harbin to the Times say the forces guarding the Siberian Railway have been doubled at each station and bridge, and that companies of mounted frontier guards make daily excursions on either side of the railway for a distance of fifteen miles. The object of these excursions is to clear the neighborhood of Manchurian brigands, collisions with whom had become increasingly frequent.

FEARS FOR HAGINOWIA MARU.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Japanese merchant steamer Haginowia Maru, bound from Wonson to Fusan, is considerably overdue, and fears are entertained that she has met the same fate as the Kinshiu Maru, says a Herald dispatch from Seoul. Another Russian raid down the east coast was reported Tuesday.

SKRYDLOFF'S LIEUTENANT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5, 3:27 p. m.—Vice-Admiral Bezeobdazoff, who is to comand the first division of the Pacific fleet, under Vice-Admiral Skrydloff, has left here for Port Arthur. The new Russian battleship Orel, which ran aground on a sandbank in the Neva May 1., has been floated and taken to Kronstadt. Only a few of her plates were injured.

INSPECTION BY LINEVITCH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VLADIVOSTOK, May 5.—Gen. Linevitch today inspected the forts and troops, and congratulated the latter on their appearance and efficiency.

COMPARISON OF NAVIES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, May 5.—A Parliamentary return, issued this morning, giving the number of warships built and building of the seven strongest navies in the world credits Russia with only one complete submarine boat. This is of 175 tons, and was launched in 1901. Russia is credited, however, with fourteen others in course of construction, but a footnote points out that it is uncertain whether all of these have been actually commenced.

The United States comes first in battleships, with thirteen, including the Idaho and Mississippi in the course of construction, followed by Great Britain with twelve. The latter is constructing seventeen armored cruisers, against eleven for the United States, the third in order being France, with nine armored cruisers building.

PREPARING TO LAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORT ARTHUR, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japanese transports have arrived at points on both sides of the Liao Tung Peninsula, above Port Arthur, and are preparing to land men.

WON'T DELIVER COAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Paris firms which have contracted to deliver many thousand tons of coal at Biserta, Tunis, at Jubitel, on the Gulf of Aden, and at Saigon, in Cochin, China, have informed their principals in St. Petersburg that they will not fill their contract. The coal was to be used by the Baltic fleet on its projected voyage to the Far East.

RUSSIAN RETREAT EXPECTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is expected the Russians will abandon Feng Wang Cheng and retire toward Liao Yang, keeping in contact with the enemy. There is no doubt that a Japanese army of 80,000 is advancing with formidable artillery.

DESPERATE COURAGE.

SHOWN IN FIRE SHIP ATTACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORT ARTHUR, May 5.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The Japanese displayed desperate courage in their fire ship attack on the night of Tuesday. The ships as they approached were divided into three groups, all heading straight for the entrance of the harbor. While still far from the shore, they ran on the Russian mines, and they were under a murderous fire from the Russian batteries. Several torpedo boats followed the fire ships, to pick up the crews of the latter. When the first ship foundered, the crew clambered up the mast, cheering for the Emperor of Japan as they went down. From the masthead of the second vessel, as she began to sink, her crew waved lanterns to indicate her course to those astern. Their small boats, though soon riddled did not raise the white flag.

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Rival Realty Man "Butts ... and Regrets it.
BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
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Remnant Bulletin

8½c Figured Lawn
8½c Checked Nainsook
8½c Corded Dimity
} Per Yd. 4½c

6c Bleached Muslin, yard 3c
6c Figured Challie, yard 4c
7½c 36-inch Figured Batiste, yard 4½c
10c Kimona Flannelette, yard 8c

6½c Printed Chambray
10c 36-inch Cambric
10c Heavy Striped Shirting
} Per Yd. 6¼c

15c 32-inch Madras shirting, yard 8½c
15c Fine White Dimity, yard 9½c
15c 32-inch Dress Gingham, yard 10c

13½c 36-inch Dark Percales
13½c 36-inch Cambric
12½c 36-inch Corded Madras
} Per Yd. 7½c

The Broadway Department Store

BROADWAY COR. FOURTH LOS ANGELES, ARTHUR LETTS PROPRIETOR

BARGAIN FRIDAY

REMNANT DAY NO. 232 ODDS & ENDS

Short Lengths of Linens

2-yard lengths of bleached table damask; good patterns; fair quality; Friday, per length 75c
2¼-yard lengths of unbleached table damask; Friday per length 63c
1¼-yard lengths of bleached table damask; good, firm quality; Bargain Friday, per length 53c
2-yard lengths of brown linen crash; Bargain Friday, per length 18c
5-yard lengths of pure white linen crash; soft and absorbent; Bargain Friday, per length 45c
2½-yard lengths of cotton toweling; just the thing for ordinary use; Bargain Friday, per length 13c
Glass toweling in lengths of three yards; Bargain-Friday, each 25c
Turkey red table damask; lengths of two yards; Bargain-Friday for 45c
18-inch red napkins with red borders; lots of a half dozen; Bargain Friday for 45c
19-inch all linen napkins; lots of half a dozen for 75c

Old Style Suits Worth from $5 to $10

$1.98

Odd lines of women's tailor-made suits; passe styles, but good quality cloths; these came to us with the Red Front bargain house stock; they are well lined and nicely finished; originally priced $5 and $10; Bargain-Friday, each $1.98.

Women's duck skirts in plain black, also in navy blue and black with white dots; good width and well made; Friday, each 75c

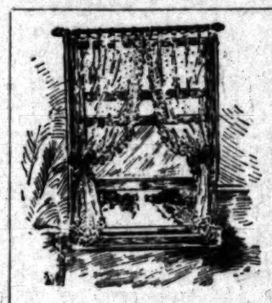
Women's walking skirts made from fancy mixed suitings; good colors and neat effects; prettily trimmed with straps; easily worth $4.00; Friday, each.. $2.98

69c Percale Waists 49c

Striped percale waists; neat patterns and pretty colors; tucked back and front; finished with colored piping; full sleeve and neat tab collar; actual value 69c; Friday, each, 49c.

Black waists made from good quality lawn; tucked back and front; large pouch sleeves; Friday, each... 59c

White waists made from extra quality oxford cloth with small dots in blue, black or green; nicely finished; regular price $3.98; Friday, each..... $2.98



White Lace Curtains 39c Pr.

Worth from 50c to 65c

New Nottingham lace curtains, 2½ yards long and good width; pretty pattern; actual value from 50c to 65c; Friday, per pair 39c.

Nottingham lace curtains, 3 yards long and 50 inches wide; rich new patterns; good value at $1.75; Friday, per pair..... $1.19

Ruffled bobbinette curtains, 2½ yards long, 40 inches wide; trimmed with lace insertion and edging; worth regularly $1.25; Friday, per pair..... 98c

Brass extension rods with fancy ends; can be extended from 47 to 50 inches; well worth 15c. Friday, each..... 9c

10c Japanese Crepe 6c

Imitation Japanese crepe 25 inches wide; rich patterns suitable for draperies; sold in most stores for 10c; Friday per yard 6c.

$1.50 Cotton Blankets 98c

Full twelve-quarter tan cotton blankets with fancy striped borders; soft and fleecy; regular price $1.50; Friday, per pair, 98c.

REMNANTS OF DRAPERIES—CUT PRICES

Friday, on the third floor, you will find a large collection of remnants; silkolines, tapestries, burlap, cretonnes, curtain swisses, etc; some at half price, some less than half.

TRIMMED HATS $3.89

$4.98 and $5.98 Values

A special lot of trimmed hats, turbans, French sailors and other desirable shapes; good colors; stylishly trimmed in many pretty ways; original price $4.98 and $5.98; Friday, each $3.98.

High class untrimmed fancy straw shapes; mixed colors; worth regularly $1.98 and $2.25; only a small lot; Bargain-Friday each..... $1.25

Fine quality straw and wood braids; good patterns and good colors; worth up to 15c a yard; 10-yard pieces Bargain-Friday for..... 75c

Hat frames; all kinds and shapes; good ones; Bargain-Friday each..... 25c

Untrimmed shapes; good styles and excellent colors; regular prices range as high as $1.48; Bargain-Friday each..... 75c

Smart little street hats made from fancy plaid braids with crowns of solid color; stylishly trimmed in quills and velvet ribbons; worth $2.98; Bargain-Friday, each..... $1.48

Crush roses; bunches containing three finely made blossoms; pink only; regular 25c ones; Bargain-Friday, per bunch..... 13c

..Youths' Suits..

Ages 13 to 18 Years
VALUES UP TO $5.00

$1.95

Youths' three-piece suits, coat, pants and vest; odd lines from the Red Front stock; sold by them at prices ranging up to $5.00; Bargain-Friday, per suit $1.95.

Youths' $7.50 Suits $2.95

Odd lines of youths' suits from the Red Front stock; sizes for boys and young men, from 13 to 19 years of age; values up to $7.50; Friday, per suit, $2.95.

Youths' Suits Worth Up to $12.00 ..... $4.95

Youths' suits in plain black, plain blue and colored all wool cloths; neat patterns; sizes for boys and young men from 14 to 19 years of age; suits in this lot worth up to $12; best will go first, so come early; Friday, per suit, $4.95.

Boys' Suits AT A SAVING

Summer suits for youngsters from 3 to 15 years of age; made from good strong materials that will wash; smaller sizes; are sailor blouse style, the larger ones have double breasted jacket; values up to $1.50; choice Friday, suit..... 45c

Boys' suits of good strong cheviots in plain blue, black and brown; double breasted and Norfolk style; ages 4 to 16 years; worth nearly double; Friday, suit..... 98c

Boys' suits made from fancy cassimeres, cheviots and tweeds; good color; Norfolk styles; ages 4 to 8 years; double breasted styles, ages 8 to 16 years; odd lots up to $4; Friday, each..... $1.95

Boys' 50c Knee Pants 15c

Odd lots of boys' knee pants, good styles, firm good wearing cloth, not many of them; broken sizes and odd lines; values as high as 50c; come early for these; Friday, while they last, per pair, 15c.

Youths' $2.00 Long Pants 48c

Youths' long pants made from all wool cloths in a variety of stripes; remnant lots from the Red Front stock; values up to $2.00. Friday while they last, per pair, 48c.

Stylish Felt Hats Worth Up to $3... $1.39

Men's fine fur felt hats, in all the popular staple and extreme styles; the cream of the stock from the Red Front; actual values up to $3.00; best of shapes and plenty of sizes; Friday, each, $1.39.

Out of Date Straw Hats 10c Each

Odd lots of men's straw hats from the Red Front stock; various shapes and styles; original prices up to 98c; don't come expecting fresh new styles or you will be disappointed; choose from this lot, while they last, each, 10c.

Men's and Boys' Caps 5c Each

Cloth caps for men and boys, made from crashes and other wash materials in good colors; good value at 10c; not more than two to a customer; Friday while they last, each, 5c.

Men's $3.00 Trousers 95c

An odd lot of men's wool trousers from the Red Front stock; nearly all sizes up to 40-inch waists; original prices as high as $3.00; Friday, while they last, per pair, 95c.

Men's $10.00 Suits $4.48

ALSO YOUTHS' SIZES

Here is the last call on the suit stock from the Red Front bargain house. Odd lines of all wool worsteds, cheviots, tweeds and navy blue Slater flannels. Sizes for everybody up to 42-inch chest measure, also youths' sizes from 14 to 17 years of age. Good styles and neat patterns; come early and get first choice; original prices up to $10.00; Friday while they last; per suit, $4.48.

Men's $15.00 Black Suits $7.69

Men's black suits; cutaway frock style; made from Riverside, Washington and Peasedale clay worsted. Sizes up to 37 only, none larger; extra good values at $15.00; stylishly cut, well lined and splendidly tailored; Friday, each, $7.69.

Men's $4.00 Trousers $1.45

Men's trousers made from all wool cloth in neat patterns and good colors; sizes up to 18-inch waist measure. The Red Front's price was $4.00; on sale Friday, per pair $1.45.

Men's $5.00 Trousers $1.95

All of the best trousers from the Red Front store; worsteds, cassimeres and tweeds; short lines which they sold up to $4.00; Bargain-Friday, per pair, $1.95.

Snaps in Cameras and Supplies

Anco camera, size 4x5 in.; a film camera that is suitable for all sorts of work; our regular cut price $7.50. On sale Bargain-Friday at, each.... $6.85

Combined toning and fixing bath, including chloride of gold, large size carton; regular price 25c. Friday..... 19c

Disco paper, Bargain-Friday, two dozen sheets for..... 15c

Browning stamp photo books, all colors; worth 15c Friday, each..... 9c

Stationery Department Specials

David's magic black writing ink, 4-ounce bottles; regular price 10c. Friday, each..... 5c

Royal Belfast linen envelopes, packages of 25; worth 15c. Friday, each..... 5c

Floral crystal print paper, 10-ft. rolls; worth 25c. Bargain-Friday, each..... 12½c

From the Drug Section

Pondeum jelly for scalds, burns and chapped hands; regular 5c bottles. Friday, 2½c

Woodbury's dental cream, cleanses, whitens and preserves the teeth; regular 25c size. Bargain-Friday..... 15c

Epsom Salts, full pound packages; our regular cut price 10c. Bargain-Friday..... 8c

Grandpa's Wonder soap, absolutely pure, excellent for the toilet; regular price 10c. Bargain-Friday, per cake..... 7c

Illustrated Devotional Books 18c

The Altemus Devotional series, bound in white and silver, books by such well-known authors as Murry, Havergal, Rev. F. B. Meyer, Drummond, Kinton and others equally popular; published to sell at 50c. Bargain-Friday, per copy, 18c.

75c Copyright Novels 19c

Scribner's popular series of copyright novels by well-known American authors, each book has a cover design by some distinguished artist; publisher's price 75c. Bargain-Friday, each, 19c.

Friday's Shoe Bargains.

Women's shoes made of soft kid with either single or half double soles, coin toes and patent leather tips; stylish lasts; all sizes; $2 values. Friday, per pair... $1.50

Women's kid Juliettes, with hand turned soles, full coin toes and patent leather tips, medium high heels, good styles for house or street wear; $1.50 values; Friday, per pair.... $1.00

Infants' shoes, made from fine grain kangaroo calf with hand turned soles; button tops; modified foot form lasts; actual 65c values; Friday, per pair..... 29c

Misses' and children's shoes; made from plump vici kid foot form lasts; half double extension soles; suitable for school or dress up wear; sizes 8½ to 2; $1.50 values; Friday, per pair..... 98c

Women's oxfords, made from best patent colt skin, also box calf and vici kid; hand welted extension soles; mostly narrow widths and some sizes missing; $3.50 values; Friday, while they last, per pair... $1.25

Women's one strapped sandals of fine velvet finished kid with hand turned soles; nicely finished; $1.50 values; Friday, per pair..... $1.00

Men's dongola kid shoes; also some of satin calf; sizes 9 to 11 only; values as high as $2; Friday, per pair $1.00

Men's satin calf shoes with half-double soles, plain or tapped soles, either lace or congress style; $2 values; plenty of sizes; Friday, pr. pair $1.45

Basement Bargains for Friday

Decorated German china plates, good size; regular price 10c; Friday, each..... 5c

Decorated German china fruit saucers that sell regularly at 10c; Friday, each..... 5c

Decorated German china covered sugar bowls, good shapes, worth 25c; Friday, each..... 12c

Decorated German china cream pitchers; worth regularly 10c; Friday..... 5c

Curtain stretchers, with nickel plated pins; size 6x13 feet; regular price $1.21; Friday, each..... 98c

Mrs. Vrooman's patent sink strainers; these always sell at 25c; Friday, each..... 15c

Tea or coffee strainers with black enameled handle; regular price 5c; Bargain-Friday, each..... 2½c

Surprise egg beaters; unquestionably the best make; regular price 5c; Bargain-Friday, each..... 2c

Black Enameled stove polish; sold the world over at 25c; Bargain-Friday, per can..... 19c

Large size tampico scrubbing brushes; regular price 15c; Bargain-Friday, each..... 10c

9 O'clock Tea; one of the best washing powders made; regular 5c packages; Friday, each..... 3c

Crystola, a substitute for Sapolio; specially priced for Bargain-Friday only; 4 pkgs. per cake..... 4c

Women's 35c Summer Gloves 19c

Women's suede lisle and lace gloves; a complete assortment of colors and shades, as well as black and white; good styles; values up to 35c; Friday, per pair, 19c.

35c Silk Ribbons 15c

Plain and fancy ribbon, best of colors, various widths, some of these are badly mussed; values up to 25c. Friday, per yard, 15c.

25c Embroideries 15c

Swiss and cambric embroideries, high grade goods, some slightly soiled, some short lengths, good widths; values up to 25c. Friday, per yard, 15c.

Special Prices on Hair Goods

Hair switches 18 and 20 inches long, black and brown and blonde; worth $1.50. Friday, each..... $1.00

Hair switches, 22 inches long, all colors; excellent values at $4.00. Friday, each..... $2.50

Hair switches 28 inches long. Weight 3½ ounces; worth $12.00. Friday, each..... $6.50

GREAT MUSIC AT IMPERIAL.

Shirtsleeves Band Makes the Valley Resound.

Los Angeles Excursionists Warmly Enthusiastic.

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So the trainload of investigators was disappointed, but people down here are noted for enthusiasm, no matter what happens. The excursionists' brass band entertained the whole town of Imperial for half an hour. On leaving Brawley an invitation was extended to the whole community to get aboard to take a free ride. The train was crowded at Imperial, and many returned the compliment by riding back to visit Brawley. The return to Brawley was made at 2:30 p.m.

SHIRTSLEEVES MUSIC.

An auction of lots was continued tonight, as it will be tomorrow. The excursionists will return to Los Angeles Saturday. The brass band musicians are spick and span. They play in their shirtsleeves out in Imperial Valley, where the sun sets the style. But the Emerson special crowd has learned that shirtsleeve music is pretty lively stuff, to judge from the power that lies in a few tools.

The horn is a great factor with which to concentrate the population of a desert town on a given spot at a moment's notice. It proves a good tonic at an auction sale of town lots in this wonderfull awakened wilderness to such appropriate tunes as "A Hot Time," and "Good Old Summer Time."

PROGRESSIVE BRAWLEY.

A large part of the new-born town of Brawley was hammered out to believers in the desert last night. This morning this trip's sales to date had reached above the $10,000 mark. Brawley, ten months old, is already a sprightly little settlement largely constructed of neat, cool, whitewashed adobe brick buildings. It boasts a bank, a dozen stores of different kinds, lumber yards, an attractive schoolhouse, several restaurants and boarding-houses and a comfortable rambling adobe hotel, built on a quaint Spanish plan. Green fields stretch away to either hand, and the welcome water laps cooly down the edges of the streets in little canals, where rows of palms and cottonwoods are taking root.

A gay reception awaited the special train on the night of its arrival. Japanese lanterns framed the deep veranda of buildings all over town. Sky rockets were sent soaring into the brilliantly-starred heavens. The excursion train is equipped for a regular desert campaign, the excursionists make home on board in tourists sleepers. Meals are served in what railroad men know as an emergency diner, equipped with a full crew of colored chefs and colored waiters, but with counters and benches running lengthwise of the car instead of tables.

RIVAL AGENT BOUNCED.

An amusing incident illustrative of the rush rivalry of land business already developed was the rejection of a rival investment solicitor from the Emerson train. This man from Brawley met the special at Old Beach and began distributing dodgers calling attention to other lands and advertising free conveyances from Brawley. When the realty men on board found the solicitor they stopped the train and ordered the train crew to put him off right out in the fierce desert. When that solicitor felt the hot sand under his feet he fuly realized the enormity of his crime. His nerve forsook him in the face of the walk to water and he extended apologies. He promised to sit down and be good if they would let him ride. He rode.

People on board said afterward they were just putting up a scare on the interloper. But it worked.

D. C. Collier of San Diego bought the first lot put up and proved to be the heaviest buyer.

LIVELY WORDS USED.

Scene in Italian Chamber of Deputies, During Which Denial of History is Charged.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

ROME, May 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] There was a lively scene in the Chamber of Deputies today when Deputy Mirabelli, Republican, proposed that greetings should be sent to President Loubet in the name of the Italian Democracy.

The president of the chamber, interrupting, said: "A greeting should be sent to France in the name of the Italian Parliament."

Signor Mirabelli retorted: "I listened to your panegyrics after the German Emperor's visit. Now be silent."

He continued: "Don't change a national demonstration into a party demonstration. I speak in the name of the Republicans."

The chamber broke into applause, which the president quieted. The deputies expressed varying opinions amid confusion.

Premier Giolietti disapproved of an attempt to have a national demonstration benefit a party, which, he said, represented the smallest portion of the Italian people.

Signor Mirabelli exclaimed: "You deny history! You kneit before the French empire and now kneel before the republic."

Amid violent protests the president closed the incident.

There was a great sensation in the Chamber of Deputies today at the conclusion of the parliamentary inquiry into the administration of Signor Nasi, former Minister of Public Instruction. The inquiry proved Nasi guilty of the misappropriation of large sums of money, the falsification of documents, the suppression of evidence and continuous peculation.

The law courts presented to the chamber a demand that they be allowed to proceed against Nasi and arrest him, but, under the rules of the chamber the discussion of this demand was postponed until Saturday next.

Meanwhile the news that Nasi had been declared guilty of the charges against him spread and the former Minister fled.

Nasi was a strong politician, and it was believed he was destined to become a Premier. The result of the parliamentary inquiry into his conduct has caused great excitement.

SHERIFF DECOYED TO EXTORT.

OGDEN (Utah) May 5.—Sheriff Quinn of Butte has found that he was decoyed to Ogden by Fitzmiller for the purpose of extortion. Murderer Lennox broke jail in Butte last August and Quinn followed clews to Calientes. There he met Fitzmiller, who claimed to have seen Lennox a few days before. The Sheriff made a deal with Fitzmiller to follow Lennox and arrest him. Quinn came to Ogden and Monday evening Fitzmiller appeared with the story that Lennox had jumped from the train, and he had chased and shot him, that the body was borne away by the waters of the river, and then demanded the reward. Sheriff Quinn demurred until he had seen the body. A searching party was organized, but in the meantime, Fitzmiller disapeared. Quinn has returned to Butte.

NEW LOCOMOTIVES FOR SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

(BY THE ASSOCIA TED PRESS—P.M.)

PORTLAND (Or.) May 5.—Julius Kruttschnitt left this city for San Francisco tonight, after having spent several days in examining the Harriman lines in Oregon. Relative to the trouble along the Southern Pacific line last year, owing to lack of motive power, Kruttschnitt stated that there would be no shortage this year. He says 130 engines have been ordered for the Southern Pacific of which forty have been already delivered, and the remainder will be delivered by August 1.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL REPORT.

EXPENSES SWALLOW EARNINGS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

CHICAGO, May 5.—The annual report of the Michigan Central Railroad Company for the year ending December 31, 1903, to be submitted to the stockholders at their meeting today, in Detroit, shows an increase in freight earnings of $2,882,103, and in passenger earnings of $375,632. Nearly all this, however, was wiped out by an increase in operating expenses of about $3,055,027.

The fourth annual report of the Pere Marquette Railroad for the year ended December 31, 1903, has been submitted to the stockholders' meeting in Detroit. The report shows that the net earnings after payment of interest were $1,616,678, an increase over the preceding year of $630,074.

New Judge to Hear Securities Case.

WILMINGTON (Del.) May 5.—Circuit Judge Gray today announced that he had designated Judge Edward G. Bradford of the United States District Court of Delaware to hear the Northern Securities case at Trenton, in place of Judge Kirkpatrick, who died on Tuesday of this week.

A Big Special Sale.

Cailis & Cooper have succeeded the Miller Cloak and Suit Company, 532 South Broadway. By way of introduction to the ladies of this city the new firm is holding a great inaugural special sale. Only the newest styles are shown.

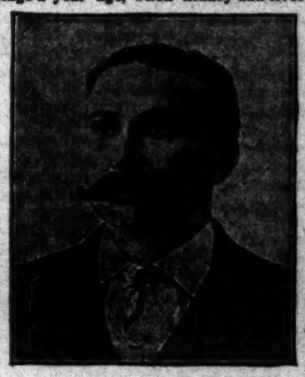
ALTHOUSE BROS. sell fine cottages.

Alderman Welter Restored to Health by Warner's Safe Cure.

"Kidney and Liver Trouble Made Life a Burden," Says the Alderman, "but Four Bottles of Your Grand Medicine Cured Me."

"When health is gone, money, honor and politics alike become uninteresting, and the one desire of your heart is to get well and let everything else go. Such were my feelings a year ago, when kidney and liver trouble made life a burden to me.

Through the kindly advice of a physician and friend I was induced to try Warner's Safe Cure. Four bottles made a new and well man of me, and it was worth more to me than a seat in Congress. I feel so extremely gratified with the results and so thankful for my restoration to health and strength that I gladly endorse your medicine and urge every one who even suspects the slightest trace of kidney trouble to take it at once. It is worth its weight in gold."—M. J. Welter, Alderman Twenty-fourth Ward, 1232 Otto St., Chicago, Ill.



MR. M. J. WELTER.

This testimony of his wonderful cure from Alderman Welter adds but one more to the many hundreds of letters received daily from grateful men and women everywhere who have been saved from lives of misery and suffering, and from death itself, by Warner's Safe Cure, the world's greatest cure for all diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and blood.

Warner's Safe Cure has been issued and prescribed by doctors and in hospitals for over 30 years as the one remedy that cures and leaves no bad after effect.

Have You These Certain Signs of Kidney Trouble?

Pains in back and head, swellings, frequent desire to urinate, painful passing of water, rheumatism, fulness under eyes, constipation, bad digestion, drowsy feeling, lack of ambition and interest. They are all sure indications that your kidneys have been diseased for months.

TEST YOUR URINE. If you have any doubt let a little morning urine stand 24 hours. If a sediment forms or particles float about in it or it becomes cloudy your kidneys are seriously affected.

You have no time to lose if you have any of these symptoms, or if any member of your family in this or past generations has had kidney trouble: its hereditary. It's dangerous to neglect the kidneys for even one day. Get a bottle of Warner's Safe Cure at the nearest drug store. It has cured thousands of cases after every other medicine failed, and will surely cure you. It removes the inflamation and replaces the wasted, diseased tissues, and enables the organs to do their work properly and fully. All drug stores, or direct, 50c. and $1 a bottle.

Warner's Safe Cure is guaranteed absolutely pure and free from dangerous drugs found in many "so-called" kidney cures. Beware of substitutes and imitations.

Doctor's advice and medical booklet free. Warner's Safe Cure Co., Rochester, N. Y.

"SAFE" PILLS move the bowels gently and aid a speedy cure.

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BUSINESS.

The sluggishness and narrowness of the New York stock market was even more notable yesterday than on preceding days this week. A bullish feeling prevailed the Chicago wheat pit. There was heavy buying of July. Closing figures were 85 3-8 for July.

AMENITIES OF WAR.

One of the pleasant features of the war between Russia and Japan (if there can be anything pleasant about a game so terrible as war,) is the humane manner in which prisoners have been treated on both sides. There has never been a war between civilized nations in which this somewhat paradoxical feature has been made more conspicuous. This fact will come as a pleasant surprise to many persons who have been inclined to regard both the belligerent nations as rather deficient, to say the least, in the attributes of what we are accustomed to term the higher civilization. Many persons, when the war broke out, expected that it would be characterized by great cruelty and barbarousness on both sides, more especially in the treatment of prisoners of war. Instead, both belligerents have manifested a chivalrous regard for the fighting men comprising "the enemy," a generous acknowledgement of the bravery displayed, whether on the one side or the other, and uniformly considerate treatment for prisoners taken in action or rescued from the sea after the destruction of vessels wrecked in the vicissitudes of war.

On the morning of May 3, Admiral Togo's fleet made a desperate attempt to block the entrance to Port Arthur. Whether the attempt was successful or not is still at this writing a disputed question. This is another story. The Japanese fire ships which were sent on the dangerous mission had to be destroyed by the Russians, if possible, in order to thwart the enemy's plans. Accordingly the Russian fire was concentrated upon them and they were sent to the bottom. The crews of the fire ships tried to save themselves in boats, but a majority of them were killed by the Russian machine guns and rifles, which sent a hail of death around the sinking ships. But when the stress was over—when the fire ships of the Japanese had been sent to the bottom of the sea—feelings of humanity supplanted the frenzy of war. "At daybreak," we are told in a dispatch from Port Arthur, "a number of Japanese were seen clinging to the masts and funnels of the sunken vessels, and these were rescued by the Russians." It is further stated that "the Russians supplied the survivors with food and clothing, and the wounded were taken to the hospital ship Mongolia."

United States Consul Greener sends from Vladivostok a dispatch vouching for the kind treatment given by the Russians to the twenty-six Japanese officers and 184 men captured on board the steamers Kinshiu Maru, Nahamar Maru and Goyo Maru, which were sunk on April 25, by the Russian Vladivostok squadron. "The survivors left here through a dense crowd," says Consul Greener in his dispatch, "soldiers and sailors guarding the carriages of the officers, for Irkutsk, Siberia, April 28. Along the route through the city there were no hostile demonstrations or expressions. The Russian military and naval authorities were courteously attentive. Food, tobacco and money were furnished to the prisoners for the journey. The Japanese were deeply grateful for their kind treatment." And well might they be grateful, under the circumstances.

The Japanese, on their side, have made a good record in the observance of the amenities of civilized warfare, and in paying due tribute to the valor of their foes. Survivors of the Variag and Korietz—Russian war vessels sunk by the Japanese at Chemulpo—were treated with all possible kindness and consideration, and the wounded were sent to Japanese hospitals, receiving practically the same treatment as the Japanese wounded. After the sinking of the Petropaviovsk, with Admiral Makaroff and his brave men, there was a formal gathering at Tokio to show respect for Makaroff and his valorous associates who died "in the line of duty." We are told in another dispatch that on the day of the Petropaviovsk disaster "the men of the entire Japanese squadron refrained from the use of tobacco and wine to show that they mourned the death of Makaroff."

These are a few instances of the amenities of war in the Far East. They might be multiplied indefinitely, if it were necessary, to show that the war, aside from its unavoidable hardships and losses, is being conducted as humanely, perhaps, as it is possible for war to be conducted. The knowledge of this fact will serve in some degree to mitigate the horror with which the civilized world must necessarily regard this conflict and all similar conflicts.

COPYRIGHT AND "MONOPOLY."

A resident of Los Angeles informs The Times that he has, after a considerable amount of correspondence with the Washington authorities, elicited from the Register of Copyrighis "a quotable summary of our law for the protection of authors and publishers," to the effect that "copyright protects the copyrightable contents, but gives no monopoly in the mere title of a periodical." If this information is to be accepted literally, it reveals a condition of affairs that calls for some amendment of the law.

A copyright, to be of real value as a protective measure, ought to cover, not merely the "copyrightable contents" of a publication, but the title or name of such publication. This proposition appears to be about as obvious as anything can be. Unless the publisher of a periodical can copyright the title of his publication, as well as the contents, he is not protected, and the copyright is little better than a farce; for another person can steal the name of the periodical and enter into competition with the rightful owner, to the serious injury of the latter.

Some years ago, after a deal of discussion pro and con, an "international copyright" agreement was made and duly ratified between the United States, England, and some of the other European countries. The law was designed to prevent the "pirating" of books in one country after they had appeared in another—an evil which had attained large proportions. The international copyright law or agreement provided that a book copyrighted in two countries must be published simultaneously in those countries. As an instance of the ineffectiveness of the law, the case of J. J. Bell's "Wee MacGreegor," may be cited. Mr. Bell was unable to secure simultaneous publication of the work in the United States and Great Britain. The result was that "pirated" copies were on sale all over the United States soon after its publication in England.

Unless our domestic copyright laws afford to publishers and authors some protection against the pirating of their titles, they are not much more effective than the international copyright. The title of a book or a periodical is as much a part of the value thereof as are the contents. If it be true that a copyright protects only the contents and not the title of a periodical, it inflicts an obvious injustice, and the law ought to be amended at the earliest opportunity.

"YOU'LL BE COMIN' BACK, MY DARLIN'."

The news columns recently told us that the flocks of tourists have got their faces homeward, and are gone.

It must be true, for there has been a sudden cessation of the customary influx of letters to the editor, "kicking" in well-selected but merciless phrases.

But, forgetting and forgiving everything, we bid these good friends an affectionate farewell. Friends? Yes—albeit they will go home and write long epistles to their home paper, saying harsh things about our worthy inn-keepers and everything with which they have been privileged to come into contact here.

And they're glad to go—or think they are. They'll be glad to get home—or say they are.

For they'll reach the old homestead just in time to see the windflower peeping out from under its snow blanket; to feel the sweet spring breeze on their cheeks; to hear the ice crunching and breaking in the rivers; and to dig helgamites and go a-fishing for black bass.

Their souls will be filled with joy, and they will, perhaps, actually believe they believe all the saucy things they are saying about Southern California.

All right.

Let it go at that.

But—"you'll be comin' back, my darlin'."

Pretty soon the blithe cyclone will begin to cycle—and the floods will begin to gambol playfully over the landscape—and the thunder and lightning will begin to give realistic imitations of a lively day at Port Arthur.

Yea, pretty soon the heat waves will begin to quiver and tremble and sizzle upward from the pavements through the parched air—and there will be no salt breeze from the ocean and cool breath from the mountains to temper their fury.

And, likewise, just about the time vacation, the frost will begin to daily with the pumpkin, the snowdrifts will bury everything but the Town Hall tower, and the 40-below-zero zephyrs will begin to nip the human ear, start the goose-flesh and cut through to the marrow and come out on the other side.

And then—"you'll be comin' back, my darlin'."

About the time the icicles hang six feet low from the eaves and you have to break the ice in the pitcher with the hair brush in the morning, these now-gleeful homeward travelers will begin to dream dreams and see visions.

Day after day there will pass before them a panorama of sunny days, blue skies, roses, orange groves, green seas and flower-clad hills—and they'll begin to read certain familiar railroad advertisements in the magazines, and surreptitiously consult railroad folders and ask transportation prices.

About this time they'll begin to burn their scrapbooks containing their newspaper articles written in the gentle springtime.

And then, and then—well,

"You'll be comin' back, my darlin'."

It's a cold day when the iceman cannot find an excuse to boost the price of ice. When Chicago, for instance, has a comparatively mild winter, the iceman cries short crop because of its mildness, and now, just as Chicago is emerging from a winter of almost unprecedented rigor, the festive iceman boosts the price because the product was so thick and difficult to cut that it cost him more for labor. Incidentally, how'd you like to be the iceman?

As soon as Russia and Japan decide their present controversy, and England gets through with her work in Thibet, and Turkey and Bulgaria run out of ammunition, and Brazil and Peru make up, and Hill and Murphy quit growling, and Bryan and Cleveland go fishing in the same boat, and—well, about this time, or approximately, that international peace scheme may properly be revived.

The Marquis of Anglesey, needing a bit of pocket money, consented to auction a few ancestral gems, from which he realized something over $100,000. And yet some people refuse to acknowledge the practical value of ancestors.

Bryan is credited with planning to bolt the Democratic ticket. If this action also contemplates his everlasting retirement from the party, honest Democrats will be disposed to consider the news too good to be true.

Now that your Uncle Samuel is peeling his coat and taking up his spade the dirt will soon be flying in Panama at a rate that will make other diggers think they were in reality only enjoying a vacation.

The Japs are preparing to land at Port Arthur. If the Russians there keep up the fighting standard of their brothers on the Yalu, there will doubtless soon be need for preparing the land for the Japs.

Judge Parker "has no hair on the top of his head in the place where the hair ought to grow." Possibly this fact is what aroused to opposition Mr. Bryan's slumbering Populism.

Admiral Togo's squadron is behind the Liao Shen premontory. If the admiral desires to return it to the Mikado in good condition, it might be well to remain there.

On Wednesday, Iowa instructed for Hearst. On Thursday, Iowa was swept by a tornado. Iowa seems to be getting rather more than its share.

Wonder if all these tornado-flood-blizzard-thunder-and-lightning reports make any of our tourist friends homesick—honestly?

The selection of a tombstone dealer to manage the Hearst campaign here, is certainly preserving the eternal fitness of things.

We wish to remind our canine friends at Chutes Park that the dog with the loudest bark doesn't always take the blue ribbon.

The New York Times asks whether a hen sets or sits. Depends upon whether she's a Kansas hen or a Boston hen.

The Santa Fé appears to be getting along very nicely in spite of strikers, thank you.

Are they, perchance offering a wee prayer for the soul of the baggage smasher?

BRIGHTEN PAGES.

Los Angeles Girls Contribute Prose and Picture to Stanford University Paper.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, May 5.—The eleventh volume of the Quad, published by the junior class, was issued yesterday. The book is very attractive. It contains the best prose literary production of the year, a story by Miss Gertrude M. Henry of Los Angeles. Among the artists, whose work forms an attractive feature of the volume, is Miss Ethel Traphagen of Los Angeles. The book is edited by Delmar M. Reynolds of Pasadena.

The Press Club elected Delmar M. Reynolds of Pasadena president.

At the assembly held yesterday the principal speaker was John McNaught, manager of the San Francisco Call. His subject was "Journalism as a Profession." This was the last regular university assembly of the year.

Dr. W. W. Campbell, director of Lick Observatory, will lecture this evening on "The Motion of the Solar System Through Space." Dr. Campbell was in charge of the Lick Observatory expedition to India in 1897-8, and to Japan in 1900.

Mrs. Stanford has returned. At present she is undecided as to how long a stay she will make here.

A CHICAGO OPINION.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Sunday Times, published at Los Angeles, Cal., and must say it is a wonderful paper to be issued in so small a place. The number before us contains about seventy pages besides a thirty-six-page Sunday magazine, and would be a credit to the largest city on earth.—[National Auctioneer.

At Honolulu Thomas I. Dillon, a number of years ago assistant city and county attorney of San Francisco, was arrested yesterday on a warrant from the Federal Court, charging him with the embezzlement of $750 while acting as trustee in bankruptcy in the case of a Japanese named Kajita.

HOW BUILDING BILL PASSED.

Senator Bard's Efforts Brought Its Success.

Los Angeles Almost Lost New Postoffice.

McLachlan Not on Hand at Critical Moment.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, April 30.—Los Angeles and Southern California people generally will be interested in knowing some of the inside history of a certain measure of special importance to them, the Los Angeles Public Building Bill. Often a significance attaches not only to the fact of the success or defeat of a measure, but as well to the process by which such result was secured. It is not always possible to learn the true facts in detail, but when they are known they enable constituents to form some idea of how their representatives in Washington are administering their office.

Two days ago, on April 28, Senator Bard had an interview with the President in which he thanked him for his coöperation in securing through Mr. Cannon consideration of the Los Angeles Public Building Bill, and assured him that it was appreciated. The President referred to the difficulty of the task and hoped Mr. Bard "did not have another matter of that kind for him to undertake." The success of that bill, by the way, was due in large measure to the careful attention and earnest efforts of Mr. Bard. The identical bills, introduced in the House and Senate on the same day, were prepared by Mr. Bard and McLachlan conjointly in consultation with the supervising architect, Knox Tayler, before there was any intimation given to Mr. Bard that the offer of a free site was contemplated. The bill introduced by Senator Bard was passed by the Senate as originally formulated, without amendment.

After the arrival here of John G. Mott of Los Angeles, the Senate bill had been referred to the House Committee on Public Buildings, and was amended in the committee, as all agreed upon, to suit the new circumstances. It was then reported to the House, retaining the provision fixing the limit of cost at $225,000.

WHAT SAVED IT.

As there appeared to be grave doubt as to whether Mr. McLachlan would be able to secure unanimous consent for the consideration of the bill, Mr. Bard offered an amendment to the Sundry Civil Bill, which was substantially identical with the Senate bill as amended and reported to the House. Mr. Bard and Mr. McLachlan went together before the Senate Committee to urge upon it the acceptance of the amendment. There a statement was made that a free site was to be offered, and that legislation was absolutely necessary in order to enable the government to accept the offer. Mr. Hale of the committee suggested that there be substituted for the Bard amendment a short provision authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to accept such offer. Mr. Bard, however, protested against this proposition on the ground that Congress was unable to decide that the site would certainly be suitable, and that common business prudence demanded that the Secretary should have the discretionary power, under all circumstances, to acquire any property that he deemed most suitable for the purpose. But Mr. Hale persisted and put the direct question as to whether no provision, or the one he offered, was preferred. Mr. Bard was therefore compelled, under protest, to express a preference for some provision rather than secure none at all. The committee prepared its own amendment, instructing the Secretary of the Treasury to accept the Downey block site, but Mr. Bard later influenced them to change the word "instruct" to "authorize."

HIS WORK IN THE HOUSE.

Mr. Bard then turned his attention to the bill in the House; understanding from Mr. McLachlan that he was in serious doubt as to whether he would be able to get the necessary recognition by the Speaker in order to call up the bill, Mr. Bard volunteered to personally see Mr. Cannon and put the matter before him. He set out immediately, and on his way to the Speaker's room he met Mr. Payne and asked him for his attention to the matter. Mr. Payne listened carefully to Mr. Bard's explanation of the bill, and appeared to know nothing whatever about it; and while listening to Mr. Bard they were interrupted by Mr. Cannon who at once invited Mr. Bard to his room.

There Mr. Bard went over the matter very thoroughly with Mr. Cannon, and was somewhat surprised when the latter asked him if it was a Senate bill, implying that he had not fully understood the situation. Mr. Bard replied that it was a Senate bill, and was the only measure of that character which had been reported to the House by its committee. Mr. Bard impressed upon him that the people of Los Angeles, who were much excited over the matter, would be greatly disappointed if this legislation were not cared for. The talk by Mr. Bard appeared to have its effect, as Mr. Cannon was apparently inclined to yield. He carefully went over the whole matter again and suggested that the bill ought to be put upon one of the appropriation bills. Although at times Mr. Cannon seemed disposed to yield, he finally, after a half-hour's conversation, determined to adhere to his first intention.

PUSHED THE MATTER.

Mr. Bard then told Mr. McLachlan what had taken place, and advised him that that was the time to press the matter. He asked McLachlan to send Gen. Grosvenor to him, and in the talk which took place at the meeting Gen. Grosvenor took the matter up earnestly and assured Mr. Bard that he would see the Speaker. Mr. Payne, who chanced to be passing at the moment, was called and he requested McLachlan to send him a copy of the bill and report thereon. From this it is apparent that these two Republican leaders of the House had not been asked to lend their assistance to the passage of the bill.

Mr. Bard then arranged with the President for a meeting with himself and Mr. McLachlan the next morning. When they arrived at the Executive Office there were many waiting to see the President, among them some Senators, but the President asked Mr. Bard in advance of them. When the subject was opened, the existence of a serious mistake was discovered.

The President's memorandum of the matter, which he had made when Mr. McLachlan called with Mr. Mott two days before, erroneously referred to a "public building at San Francisco." This clearly showed that he had not understood the purpose of their visit.

M'LACHLAN NOT ON HAND.

Mr. Bard went over the matter again with the President, repeating to him substantially the arguments he had made with the Speaker. The President immediately instructed his secretary to send for Speaker Cannon to come to the White House that evening, or if that were not possible, then early the next morning. That evening Mr. Payne told Mr. Bard at his hotel that arrangements had been made to pass the bill late that afternoon, but Mr. McLachlan was not to be found.

It has been stated that Mr. McLachlan made some remarks explaining the provisions of the bill, but the Congressional Record, at page 5008, shows that he made no remarks except to offer the amendments reducing the limit of cost from $225,000 to $175,000, which was demanded by Speaker Cannon, inasmuch as any additional appropriation would give the measure the appearance of new legislation, it having been agreed that there should be no general public building appropriations.

It must be very evident to all that when Mr. Bard assumed to take charge of the matter in the House, there was certainly no prospect that the bill would be considered; and there was nothing left further for McLachlan to do in the matter after Mr. Grosvenor, Mr. Payne and the President had induced the Speaker to yield and to recognize Mr. McLachlan, who called up the bill. If McLachlan did anything at all to assist the bill, he may have paved the way to prevent objections to unanimous consent on the Democratic side; and he claims that he had the promise of coöperation on the part of the leaders of the parties, but he was able to name only three whom he claimed to have influenced in this direction.

STRIKE HOLDS BACK HOSPITAL.

SANTA FE IMPROVEMENT IS IN ABEYANCE HERE.

Company Will Not Proceed With Enterprise Until Labor Troubles on Lines Are Settled—Institution to Cost Nearly Hundred Thousand. Plans About Completed.

One of the direct results of the present machinists' strike on the Santa Fé system is the delay and, for the present, the abandonment, of a $100,000 hospital enterprise for Los Angeles. Upon the duration and seriousness of this strike depends the beginning of work on the company's large hospital for its railway lines on the Coast and in the Southwest.

As a preliminary to the beginning of the new enterprise the Santa Fé-Pacific Hospital Association, incorporated under the laws of New Mexico, and the Southern California Hospital Association, incorporated under the laws of California, have consolidated under the name of the Santa Fé Coast Lines Hospital Association, with Los Angeles as its place of business. A. G. Wells is the president, and G. Holterhoff, Jr., is the secretary.

Plans for the structure, which is to cost between $75,000 and $100,000, have been practically completed by Architect C. F. Whittlesey. It is designed after the mission style, with the central section three stories and the wings two stories in height.

The chosen site lies east of Hollenbeck Park, Boyle Heights, between St. Louis, Chicago and Sixth streets. The ground, which is elevated, commands a superb view.

If the labor troubles be settled soon, the new building is to be well under way by the close of the year. It is designed to accommodate the company's patients from California, Arizona and New Mexico.

REALTY DEALINGS.

Desirable Properties Change Hands and Substantial Improvements to be Made.

Among the deeds recently placed on record is one conveying from the Los Angeles Trust Company to F. W. Braun lots 13 and 14, Chester Place. This is the property which Mr. Braun purchased of D. L. Harding, and the conveyance from the trustee to the beneficial owner completes the transaction which was begun some weeks ago. The property is 100x206 feet, on the southwest corner of Chester Place and Twenty-fifth street, improved with a sixteen-room two-story combination frame, stone and brick residence, now occupied by the buyer; consideration named, $35,000. Sale was made through the agency of W. I. Hollingsworth & Co.

Joseph Hyams has purchased of J. M. Riley, through the agencies of Lee A. McConnell & Co., and Nolan & Smith, 60x135 feet, unimproved, on the west side of Main street, sixty feet north of Ninth street; consideration named, $12,000.

Negotiations are progressing for the sale from C. A. Judd to S. W. Price of a seventy-two-room three-story frame and cement lodging-house, furnished, with lot, 41x165 feet, on the east side of Grand avenue, between Third and Fourth streets; consideration not named, estimated at $22,000.

Plans for a three-story brick business building that is to be erected for Mrs. R. S. Saunders and others, on the northwest corner of Fourth and Hill streets, are being prepared by Architect A. L. Haley. It will have stores on the first floor and rooms for a family hotel above and will cost about $35,000.

The Casa Palma Hotel which was to ornament the lot, 150x182 feet, on the southeast corner of Figueroa and Twenty-fifth street, that was purchased last January of Adlof Petsch by W. S. Collins and George E. Hart, will not materialize. An effort is to be made to utilize the property as a site for an athletic club, and the prospects seem fairly good for a building of that kind being erected there, modeled somewhat after the Olympic, of San Francisco. Some local business men are known to have promised to take stock in such an enterprise, and plans for a building of the kind described have been ordered of the office of Architect A. L. Haley.

SIXTY HORSES BURN TO DEATH.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Many tenants of the Lessing and Lessing Annex buildings, fashionable apartment structures, were driven to the street today by fire which destroyed Werner Bros.' storage warehouse. After a hard fight the blaze was confined to the building in which it started. Sixty horses were burned to death. The warehouse, filled with furniture, was destroyed. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

At Winchester, Tenn., Henry Judge, Joe Delp and John Evans were hanged yesterday for the murder last August of Simon Bucher and his wife. They were stoned to the last.

POLITICAL.

A FUNEREAL POW WOW.

Malt Juice Fails to Cheer Heap Big Injuns.

His Pocket Artillery Gives Away Dockweiler.

'Steenth Drink Time Call Squelches Simons.

Ai! Ai! Ai!

Such a sadness!

Pale beer and pig flesh were fed by weeping friends last night to the Hearst bosses, who were knocked galley west in the primary election, and now can't bellow for Hearst at the coming State convention.

They all came to the meeting of the Iroquois Club and a sweet unselfish attempt was made to draw their minds from their troubles.

DOCKWEILER, BOWIE MAN.

But in the midst of it, in came Isadore Dockweiler, the rabid anti-Hearst man, who knocked them out and who is going to Santa Cruz for the express purpose of "knifing" Willie Hearst. Dockweiler spoiled the dramatic effect of the consolation meeting.

Dockweiler peeped in at first as shy as a little trembling fawn. He was ready to run at a frown.

But the first man to greet him with a wan smile of forgiveness was Milt Young, who gave orders before election that Dockweiler must be beaten if it took seven hairs out of his head, and who will stay home from the convention on account of Dockweiler's election.

All the Democrats then came up and shook hands with Dockweiler, saying, "Lobster, if you get up in that Santa Cruz convention and roast Hearst, we will feed you poisoned bologna."

But these remarks they only made in their inner consciousness; what they said aloud was "How'd do."

Dockweiler was seated next to Young just to show there was no hard feeling, and when at first drink time the smell of beer began to permeate the atmosphere, he rose in emotion and told them harmony was great and that he loved them all like brothers.

It was talked about the meeting and about town yesterday as a serious prospect that Dockweiler and Franklin K. Lane may be supported by the Los Angeles delegation for delegates at large just to show what Democrats can do in the way of harmony when they get warmed up. Both are anti-Hearst men of the first water, as any one who remembers the last State election might imagine.

AND THE TEARS GUSHED.

Before the meeting was done they called tenderly upon each of the defeated Hearst bosses to tell his troubles. Seldom has a more pathetic scene been enacted.

Nathan Cole made a glowing speech, made up of fond recollections of the days when he was a Republican. He told them the Iroquois Club made him think in fond remembrance of the Silver Republican Club.

His tribute to the Iroquois was like the typical British compliment to the American: "What an American! My word, old chap, I never should have thought it—pon my honor, I shouldn't."

Dr. A. M. Edelman, who yearned to be a delegate at large to the national convention, and who got no further than his primaries, where he was made dead, found his feet along about second drink time with slow, melancholy steps.

"I am glad," he said sadly, "that there are some of you who still remember me."

When they called upon Brother Young he got wistfully up and looked down in tender reproach on Dockweiler.

"I am reminded," he said solemnly, "that whom the Lord loveth He chasteneth."

And went on to express his sorrow in brave words of resignation.

Councilman Farish, who seemed to be still in a daze from the effects of the landslide that carried him under, and Judge Trask, a couple of "also rans," had to tell their sad stories to the club before the beer came.

The judge seemed to be soured on the whole proposition and said that Bryan was the greatest man that ever came down the pike.

JOE'S JIMJAM JEST.

After all the mourners had wept, they called for Joe Simons, the only Hearst rooter who landed.

Joe felt a singular delicacy which forbade his showing lightsome joy at his own victory. He tried to look so sympathetic and tried so hard to hide his exuberance, that he looked like a 400-pound composite Hamlet as he came out to the front with doleful steps and slow.

He told them that he felt proud and got to predicting what things Democracy would do some day in Los Angeles. He had just got a complete city government filled with Dem... had seated Democrats in every... office and was just heaving a... Congress when somebody ... beer glasses for 'steenth drink, and he hastily turned off the rest of his speech.

Joe is a fat old josher and ... believes Hearst to be the funniest ... he ever heard.

MORE MACEDONIAN TA...

Lansdowne Says Unless ... Speedy Settlement Powers ... Have Big Job on Hand.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, May 5.—In the House of Lords today, Earl Spencer, the liberal leader, raised the question of the situation in Macedonia.

Lord Newton, Conservative, said ... civil agents of the powers had ... the present time made no progress ... the application of the reforms decided upon for Macedonia, and he suggested calling an international conference on the subject.

Foreign Secretary Lansdowne ... he had only too much reason to be disappointed over the progress achieved, and that if the rate of progress had not accelerated the powers might be confronted by a situation which would cause grave anxiety.

Lord Lansdowne, however, did not approve of the suggestion to call a conference, because should it fail to find a solution of the difficulty, the situation would be worse than before.

LOS ANGELES, May 4, 190...

My dear Mr. Bartlett:—

Before leaving the city I would like to thank you once more for your kindness in sending me a KIMBALL PIANO to my room in the Angelus. I made good use of it.

Hoping to see you in Chicago perhaps in the near future, I beg to remain

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Chinatown 'Agog Over a Ric... Church Wedding.

Crowd Extends Even to th... Block Beyond.

Maid of Honor Gorgeous ... Silk Pantaloons.

The local Chinatown was agog la... night over a real church wedding, w... one of its rich merchants as the brid... groom, and a charming bride from S... Francisco to captivate all beholder...

The Chinese may be stoics to a d... gree, but their actions last nig... proved that there is a subtle truth ... the old saw, "All the world loves ... lover," and that a wedding is of pa... mount interest, whether the bride a... groom be of the Mongolian tint or t... of the Caucasian.

Pretty Yoke Lon was the bride, ... she was as fair a picture as one mi... find in the whole of old Cathay. Yo... Lon was just turned 18 years ... night. She has had four years ... training and study in the Presbyter... Chinese Mission School in San Fr... cisco, and besides her other acco... plishments is a musician of talent.

Chung Sui Kam was the bridegro... He is a man of affairs in the l... Chinatown, and has been in Los ... geles many years. He is the pro... tor of a ladies' garment factory ... clothing store on West Fifth stre...

The wedding took place in the P... byterian Chinese Church at No. ... Wilmington street. It was not, h... ever, confined to the four walls of ... chapel. The celebration extended ... to the confines of the church lot, ... the street, and even on into the ... block. This was no ordinary wedd... and many there were who went to ... and to hear and to feast on the w... ding hospitality.

Of course the little church would ... begin to hold the guests, but all ... could crowded in, many preem... places on the window ledges outs... while others ranged up on the fen... and those who couldn't see in ... way, patiently awaited a peep at ... bridal party and the coming ref... ments.

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The daintiest little flower girl, ... Lon, a six-year-old child in a c... of white and pink drapery, ca... a basket of choice blossoms, and ... tered rose petals along the aisles. ... lowing her came the maid of ho... Mo Tess Took, who was—must one ... "gowned"—at least she wore ... blue pantaloons, exquisitely emb... ered, and an upper garment of ... brocaded blue silk, while her ... braid of glistening hair was ado... with strands of red and pink silk, ... carried pink carnations.

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VAINLY TRIES TO SLAY SE...

WOMAN ATTEMPTS DEATH FORE MOVING CAR.

Mrs. Minnie Bush, Despond... Over Circumstances Follow... Death of Husband, Makes Sp... lar Effort at Suicide—Loss... Damage Suit Caused Melanch...

With her three small children ... ing to her skirts, Mrs. Minnie Bu... age 32, 532 Central avenue threw h... in front of a Los Angeles Ra... Company's car at Main and ... streets yesterday morning in an ... to end her life. The motorman ... the woman in time to stop the w...

Mrs. Bush's attempt at self-de... tion was caused by despondenc... duced by the loss of a damage ... against the Los Angeles Railway ... pany for the death of her hus... who was killed at the Rampart... sub-station July 14, 1903. Chari... Bush, the husband, was employ... a carpenter's helper. Death ... caused by oil coming in contact ... high-potential wire in the ba... of the station. The widow sue... $50,000 damages, and the case was ... before Judge York without a jur... cording to an agreement betwee... parties. A decision in favor ... company was rendered two week... and since Mrs. Bush has been ex... ingly melancholy.

She says she could have settle... case at one time for $1500, but h... money advised her not to do so ... his legal fight was continued. A

PRETTY BRIDE IS YOKE LON.

Chinatown Agog Over a Rich Church Wedding.

Crowd Extends Even to the Block Beyond.

Maid of Honor Gorgeous in Silk Pantaloons.

The local Chinatown was agog last night over a real church wedding, with one of its rich merchants as the bridegroom, and a charming bride from San Francisco to captivate all beholders.

The Chinese may be stoics to a degree, but their actions last night proved that there is a subtle truth in the old saw, "All the world loves a lover," and that a wedding is of paramount interest, whether the bride and groom be of the Mongolian tint or that of the Caucasian.

Pretty Yoke Lon was the bride, and she was as fair a picture as one might find in the whole of old Cathay. Yoke Lon was just turned 18 years last night. She has had four years of training and study in the Presbyterian Chinese Mission School in San Francisco, and besides her other accomplishments is a musician of talent.

Chung Sui Kam was the bridegroom. He is a man of affairs in the local Chinatown, and has been in Los Angeles many years. He is the proprietor of a ladies' garment factory and clothing store on West Fifth street.

The wedding took place in the Presbyterian Chinese Church at No. 214 Wilmington street. It was not, however, confined to the four walls of the chapel. The celebration extended out to the confines of the church lot, into the street, and even on into the next block. This was no ordinary wedding, and many there were who went to see and to hear and to feast on the wedding hospitality.

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The daintiest little flower girl, Ah Lin, a six-year-old child in a cloud of white and pink drapery, carried a basket of choice blossoms, and scattered the petals along the aisles. Following her came the maid of honor, Ah Yan Sing, who was—must one say it?—dressed at least she wore dark blue pantaloons, exquisitely embroidered, and an upper garment of embroidered blue silk, while her long braid of glistening hair was adorned with strands of red and pink silk. She carried pink carnations.

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The little chapel was beautifully decorated with bamboo, flowers, festoons of greenery and Chinese banners and streamers. There were many gorgeous costumes, resplendent with the wealth of oriental colors, in the company present, and numerous Americans took advantage of the opportunity to witness a Chinese wedding.

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VAINLY TRIES TO SLAY SELF.

WOMAN ATTEMPTS DEATH BEFORE MOVING CAR.

Mrs. Minnie Bush, Despondent Over Circumstances Following Death of Husband, Makes Spectacular Effort at Suicide—Loss of Damage Suit Caused Melancholy.

As her three small children clinging to her skirts, Mrs. Minnie Bush of 132 Central avenue threw herself in front of a Los Angeles Railway company's car at Main and Sixth streets yesterday morning in an effort to end her life. The motorman saw the woman in time to stop the wheels. Mrs. Bush's attempt at self-destruction was caused by despondency induced by the loss of a damage suit against the Los Angeles Railway Company for the death of her husband, who was killed at the Rampart-street power-station July 14, 1903. Charles E. Bush, the husband, was employed as a carpenter's helper. Death was caused by his coming in contact with a high-potential wire in the balcony of the station. The widow sued for $5000 damages, and the case was tried before Judge York without a jury, agreeing to an agreement between the parties. A decision in favor of the company was rendered two weeks ago and since Mrs. Bush has been exceedingly melancholy.

Mrs. Bush rented a house from A. O. Parker at No. 532 Central avenue and had roomers, but she was frequently behind in her rent. Parker was very kind to her she says, and told her that she might remain in the house until her condition was improved, but she did not care to live on the charity so offered.

The Associated Charities considered Mrs. Bush's case deserving and each week she was given $2 for groceries. At other times that organization gave her money to furnish her rooms and her doctor's bills were also paid. The Sunshine Society became interested in the unfortunate woman and secured for her a position of nurse for a patient at $1.50 per day. She did this until the patient died a few days ago. With that income cut off the woman became desperate.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Bush called on Superintendent Akin of the railway company and asked for assistance. She was told to go to the company's offices Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening she told her landlord if the company refused to do something for her she would take her life.

Mrs. Bush called at the general offices of the company yesterday and was referred to the claim department. She was told her case had been settled by the courts, but the company would look into the matter and see what could be done. Then she made the attempt at suicide.

Bush was a member of the Modern Woodmen, in Elwood, Ind., his former home, and when he was killed an effort was made to collect $2000 life insurance, but the order refused to pay on the ground that Bush was three months in arrears with his dues.

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The discovery is that in the long chain of Aleutian islands, stretching westward from the Alaskan mainland almost across the Pacific, there is a succession of harbors; that they are safe and open throughout the year; that they are unobstructed by rocks, and that the channel to some of them is so deep and commodious that half a dozen fleets could enter them simultaneously.

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for all kinds of wear. You will use them in the morning, you will wear them on the street, you will wear them in the evening. There will be no time that you will not find plenty of need for such materials as we are now showing in our Wash Goods Department. We give four items here to which we call your attention—came around and see these superior dress materials.

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The established reputation of this well-known fabric is a sufficient guarantee for its popularity. We are showing it in a great variety of stripes and checks and plain colors suitable for house dresses and children's wear. 27 inches wide, 12½c the yard.

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We have just received a shipment of this beautiful, sheer material in the most exquisite patterns and color designs on white. See them while the line is complete and make your selection. 31 inches wide, 50c the yard.

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There is no printed material so staple in character as a fine dimity. We have them in floral figures and neat stripes, including polkadots on white and colored grounds. They are very desirable for afternoon and street wear. 29 inches wide, 25c the yard.

Use Antherea—A Pure Silk Lining
We have thoroughly tested Antherea and will guarantee it. It will not split or pull apart. 19 inches wide. 58c the yard.

Two peciSal alesS In Sunday's papers we will print full details regarding a special sale of Suits, also a special sale of Cotton, Moreen, Alpaca, Seersucker and Pongee Petticoats. You should take advantage of these sales Monday.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

50c *for 75c and $1 veils*
Ready-to-wear veils of chiffon, mousseline de soie and grenadines, 1¼ yards long, in fancy stripe, plain or hemstitched borders. All the correct colors and combinations. 50c because we bought under price. Like values ordinarily bring 75c and $1.00.

35c *for 40c to 75c ribbons*
Broken lines of novelty ribbons—Taffetas, Louisines, etc. that have sold down to one, two or three colors. 4 to 5½ inch widths in polka dots, stripes and fancy edged effects suitable for hat trimmings, sashes and neckwear. Some black-and-white effects in the lot. Regularly 40c, 50c to 75c. Choose at 35c a yard Friday and Saturday.

$1 *for $1.50 to $2.50 parasols*
Of silks and fancy brocades in plain colors and self figured effects, and solid colors with fancy borders—really splendid values at $1.50 to $2.50.
And another lucky deal lets us include with them today a lot of women's $1.25 to $2.00 sun or rain umbrellas at $1. They're made of gloria silk and piece-dyed serges and taffetas.

5c *for 10c and 15c hair pin cabinets*
Pins of various sizes and shapes—100 to 400 in each cabinet.
Also large and small cube toilet pins, regular 10c, at 5c. Both sorts go back to regular price next week.

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Articles of utility and beauty priced as merchandise, not as curios.

Pincushions
of California redwood, orange wood and yucca, decorated with California scenes, hand-painted; made in book form, with the three woods used in each cushion. Fifty cents each.

Placques
of orange wood and redwood with hand-painted Poinsettia, poppies, violets and oranges, 25c to 50c.

Shells
with California scenes painted by hand—the home of Ramona, the old Missions and other California scenes, $1.00.

"Dutch Shoes"
Of Japanese cedar; burnt sepia and pen-and-ink designs; the Missions, Mt. Lowe and other famous California scenes.

10c *for 15c Handkerchiefs*
On Friday and Saturday only we'll sell womens' 15c handkerchiefs of sheer linen, hemstitched, with small hand-embroidered initials at 10c each or six for 55c.
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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	60	54	69	New York ...	68	58	59
Washington	70	44	57	Buffalo	70	52	61
Pittsburgh ..	74	56	65	Cincinnati ...	72	54	64
Chicago	66	50	58	St. Paul	60	38	49
St. Louis	76	60	68	Kansas City	74	58	66
Los Angeles .	70	54	61	Jacksonville	88	62	75

*The maximum is for May 4; the minimum for May 5. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, May 5.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.97; at 5 p.m., 29.96. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 52 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 94 per cent.; 5 p.m., 67 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 10 miles. Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 51 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—Cloudy weather prevails on the North and South Pacific Coasts; elsewhere clear sky is reported. Low barometer continues east of the Rocky Mountains, with light rain or showers generally to the Missouri Valley; Cold weather prevails from British Columbia to Nevada, with generally freezing temperatures.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Clouding tonight, with fog; becoming fair by Friday noon.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure has fallen rapidly over the northern half of the Pacific Slope, and a disturbance of moderate energy is passing rapidly across Washington. Cloudy weather prevails generally north of San Francisco, while fair weather prevails in the south. Rain has fallen at Portland, Seattle and Walla Walla. The temperture has risen about 10 deg. in the Sierras and Eastern Oregon. Forecast:

For Northern California: Cloudy Friday; probably light rain in northern portions; fresh southwest winds.

Southern California: Fair Friday; light north winds.

Nevada: Cloudy Friday; cooler north.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Friday; fresh south winds.

Sacramento and vicinity: Cloudy Friday; possibly light showers by night; fresh south wind.

Fresno and vicinity: Cloudy Friday; light north winds, changing to south.

Arizona: Fair Friday and Saturday.

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Los Angeles, Cal., May 3, 1904.
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BEACON ROCK," BRITISH SHIP, CAPT. HUGHES, from Antwerp.
Neither captain nor consignee will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew.
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PROF. HOWARD CARLETON TRIPP, THE popular poet, philosopher and occidental psychologist, will lecture on "The Weakness of Socialism" at Brent's Hall, 524 South Spring, afternoon at 2 o'clock; evening, 7:30 on "The Frauds and Faktrs in Spiritualism." Questions answered. 400 free seats. All welcome; silver collection. Prof. Tripp has been lecturing at Brent's Hall to large audiences for the last four Sundays. His hearers have been charmed by his candid ways and rational ideas. His original recitations and shrewd sayings impress his hearers with the versatility of his mind and make them enthusiastic admirers. Do not miss these addresses.
1 week only, at the PSYCHIC SCIENCE SCHOOL, 313½ S. Spring, room 14. Free lectures every night. All welcome. 6

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PERSONAL—YOU DON'T HAVE TO USE Grape Nuts or Force at SUNNYSIDE. Water and climate does it.
GRIDER & HAMILTON,
225 W. Second st. 8

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. SUNSET PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

PERSONAL—MRS. MASSON, THE NOTED London palmist, is at 322 S. Spring st. Readings are conscientious and scientific, and give the precise information you desire. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

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PERSONAL—IF YOU ARE GOING TO GET married, go out to Sunnyside and buy a home.
GRIDER & HAMILTON,
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PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE life reading, palmist, business, lawsuits, mineral locations described. Take the W. Adams st. car to ARLINGTON, go north to 21st.

PERSONAL—
HENLEY SEANCE TONIGHT.
303 W. NINTH. Men, $1.
Women, 50c. Reading daily. 5

PERSONAL — WM. E. STANDART IS REQUESTD TO CALL AT THE LEIGHTON HOTEL. R. W. STANDART. 6

PERSONAL — DR. O. GILVIE, MAGNETIC healer, 'Phone Red 2082. 764 WALL ST., Los Angeles, Cal. 10

PERSONAL—RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS heading, 10c per line; minimum charge, 20c.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 321½ S. SPRING, palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

WANTED—
Help. Male.

WANTED—
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.
A Strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.
116 and 118 East Second Street,
Between Main and Los Angeles sts.
Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast.
TELEPHONE MAIN 569.
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MEN'S DEPARTMENT.
Men pick oranges, 2½c box; men for hauling, $1.25; etc.; man for orchard, $22 etc.; freight teamster, $125 month; young man, grocery delivery, $10 week; ranch blacksmith, $2 etc.; boy to learn wire frame making; boys for factory, $6 week; stableman, $30 and room; boy, delivery, $7; laborers, $1.75 day; milk man and blacksmiths, $60 month; meat cutter, $15; orange packers, 3c box; choreman, mine, $1 etc.; wood turner, $2; 5 miners, $3; milkers, $35 etc.; teamsters and tunnel men for mail contract.

HOTEL AND REST. DEPT.
All-around cook, $40 etc.; restaurant cook, $10 etc.; baker's helper, $10 etc.; all-around man, $25; dishwasher, all-around cook and waiter, Arizona, $30 etc.; potwasher, $7 etc.; second baker, $12 etc.; third baker, $10 etc.; dishwashers, $7 and $6 etc., and $25 month; waiter, country restaurant, $25 etc.

HOUSEHOLD DEPT.
Family cook, $30 etc.; 25 housegirls, city and country, $25 and $30 etc.; girls to assist, $15 and $20 etc.

WOMEN'S HOTEL AND REST. DEPT.
Head waitress, country, $50 etc.; another, city, $9 week; 6 waitresses, Redlands and city, $25 etc.; 4 restaurant waitresses, $9 week; clerk for grocery store, $8 week; cook, country hotel, $50 month etc.; cook, city, $30 etc.; laundry help of all kinds wanted.
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED—
FORTIN & HAWKINS,
The Los Angeles Employment Co.,
104-106 N. Los Angeles st., corner First.
Main 415. 'Phones Home 415.
FEMALE DEPARTMENT.
Ramona Bldg., 3rd and Spring, rooms 22-23.
SPECIAL SHIPMENTS.
Imperial ..... Free fare. Fence builders.
Imperial ..... Free fare. Laborers.
Calexico ..... Free fare Fence builders.
Calexico ..... Free fare Strappers.
Calexico ..... Free fare Laborers.
WOOD CHOPPERS.
North ..... Ship Friday. $2.50 and $2.75
LAND CLEARERS.
North ..... Ship Friday $3 to $4 acre.
CARPENTERS.
10 finishers, city ..... $3, 9 hours.
MISCELLANEOUS.
Grocery clerk ..... City ..... $10 week.
Boy in grocery ..... City ..... $5 week.
Young man in candy store City ..... $8 week.
Trunk makers ..... City ..... $2.50 to $3.50.
Sash and door man ..... City ..... $4.50 day
Scraper teamsters ..... City ..... $1.75, fd.
Shovelers ..... City ..... $1.75.
Cook (survey camp) ..... $40.
Ranch hands ..... All kinds ..... 25 to 30 etc.
Orange packers ..... Call early ..... 2 1-2 cts box.
6 FORTIN & HAWKINS.

WANTED—FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' LABOR BUREAU.
114 E. First st. 'Phones 2341; James 8541.
1 bridge carpenters, $2.75 per day.
Stenographer, good wages, lady or gentleman.
Ranch men, $30 per month.
Pick and shovel men, city.
Harness-maker and teamsters for Arizona; fare and fee, $6.50. 6

our new method, which enables student to earn wages while learning; the only college in the city where qualified barber as instructor, which furnishes constant practice and guarantees success; oldest, largest and best-equipped college west of Chicago. Call upon or write before entering other so-called barber colleges. AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., Incorporated, 413 N. Main.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN the barber trade in the only college that gives its students employment in its own shops at regular barbers' wages; you will be under the most competent instructor in the United States; before entering any other college investigate us. Call or address WESTERN COLLEGE OF BARBERS (Incorporated.) 1114½ San Pedro st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—JAPANESE
HELP! HELP!! HELP!!!
PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
621 WEST SIXTH ST.
Home Cleaning Department.
'Phone Home 1073. Main 1714.
JAPAN PRODUCT COMPANY.
Every department insures responsibility.
Ranch work by contract.

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
541 S. OLIVE ST. Main 1947. Home 5713.
We furnish Japanese and Chinese help. The oldest and largest agency in the city. Laborers furnished by the day, contract. Windows, house-cleaning, gardening, ranch hands.

WANTED—
JAPANESE
MIKADO EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
933 S. Broadway.
All kinds of most responsible help furnished. Camp cook, waiter, dishwasher. Ranch contract hands, $30 and up.
West 579. Home 3753. 8

WANTED—
JAPANESE
EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
125 E. First Ninth st.
Cooks, waiters, porters and all
kinds of help furnished.
TEL. HOME 4690. MAIN 2230.

WANTED—JAPANESE FARMERS' AND DOMESTIC LABOR BUREAU, 527 DUCOMMON ST. LOS ANGELES. 'PHONE JAMES 6276. ALL KINDS LABOR PROMPTLY FURNISHED. RAILROADING, GRADING, RANCH, CONTRACT, DOMESTIC.

WANTED—MAN, REPAIR HARNESS IN camp, $2.50 day; 2 plate-glass bevelers, $3.50 day; man and wife, on ranch, $45 month; 3 men for planing mill, $3.50 day; 5 carpenters, $3 day; lots of jobs. See HANSEN EMP. OFFICE, 219 E. Second st. 6

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
403 W. Sixth st., near Central Park. All kinds help furnished promptly; cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, window cleaners. TEL. MAIN 2764; HOME 5253.

WANTED — MAN WITH $300 TO DRIVE laundry wagon with best steam laundry in city; you will clear $22.50 per week; fine horses, wagon and harness clean, easy job. Ask MR. BOYLES, 530 S. Broadway. 6

WANTED — ARE YOU COMPETENT TO fill a high-grade executive, clerical, technical or salesman position paying $1000 to $5000? Call or write, HANDOOGS (INC.,) 916 Chemical Bldg., St. Louis, Mo. 8

WANTED—GENERAL CLERK FOR COUNTRY grocery, with saloon attachment; mining camp; California; must be plain writer and give good references; $75 month. Call after 10 o'clock, 215 COPP BLDG. 6

WANTED—PACKER; STATIONERY SALESmen; groceries, drugs, clothing, draperies; store porter; milliman; waiter; milker; dairyman, office, hotel work. EDWARD NEITZEL BUREAU, 321½ S. Main. 10

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN WITH A FAIR knowledge of printing, to set type for fine dress cards and invitations and run small job press. Apply Superintendent at HAMBURGER'S, between 10 a.m. 6

WANTED—DRIVER, YOUNG, CAPABLE man, with or without experience, around a furniture store; honesty and horse sense the only requisite. Apply afternoons. L. G. RICKERD, 807-811 S. Main. 6

WANTED—RELIABLE SINGLE MAN, experienced in general merchandise, for ranch; must speak Spanish and have some knowledge of accounts; salary $60 and board. Apply 1015 BYRNE BLK.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OFFICE MAN for planing mill and lumber yard; none but experienced men need answer; give age, experience and reference. Address G, box 55, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—BRIGHT BOY WITH BICYCLE; steady position; wages $4 per week. MANN & CO., 351 S. Broadway. 6

WANTED
Help. Male.

WANTED—2 NEAT-APPEARING YOUNG men to canvass on road for old-established house, on commission; advancement. Call R. E. DE FRATES, The Portland, 444½ S. Spring, room 212. 6

WANTED — GENERAL MERCHANDISE clerk, single, country trade; must be good office man and book-keeper; need only assist clerking $75 month; experience necessary. 215 COPP BLDG.

WANTED—MEN, WESTERN CANADA, 160-acre prairie homestead free. Success and independence assured. Information and special railway rates. A. H. M'GAFFIN, 204½ S. Spring st. 8

WANTED—MAN TO DRIVE LAUNDRY wagon for the best steam laundry in city; must have $450. Call 635½ S. BROADWAY, room 1. MR. GREENE. You will make $100 per month.

WANTED—SOLICITORS TO SELL GOLD mining stock; exceptional inducements to active local men or parties going East; opportunity to clear $50 week. 409 FROST BLDG. 6

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS EXPERIENCED advertising solicitor; a good proposition for a worker. EASTERN NOVELTY AND ADVERTISING CO., suite 19-20, 206½ S. Broadway. 6

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, GOOD PENMAN, stenographer and assistant book-keeper, large corporation, near Los Angeles; salary $90; good future. Apply 525 BYRNE BLK. 8

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE; only requires 8 weeks; special offer; constant practice; expert instruction. Catalogue free. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, S. F.

WANTED—MAN WITH $200 FOR CLEAN, easy business; will make $100 per month; this is a fine business that anybody can do. See MR. BOYLES, 530 S. Broadway. 6

WANTED—THREE FIRST-CLASS CARriage blacksmiths; wages $3 to $3.50 per day of nine hours. Apply to A. MEISTER & SONS CO., Sacramento, Cal.

WANTED—"REED'S" RELIABLE HELP. Teamster, mines, drive 20 to 20 horses; must be steady and good references, $4 a day. "REED'S," 214 W. Second. 6

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL, 16 YEARS old, electrical business good opportunity. Answer in own handwriting. Address 11, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EMPLOYEES, BUY 5¼ ACRES at SUNNYSIDE on easy terms, and be your own employer. GRIDER & HAMILTON, 225 W. Second st.

WANTED—ANY PERSON TO DISTRIBUTE our samples; $15 weekly; steady. Mgr. "EMPIRE," 3523 Grand Boul., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—MAN WITH $500 FOR GOOD, legitimate office business; will make good income. See W. W. BOWMAN, 306 W. Sixth.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN PRINTER; ONE experienced in setting type. Call at 746 S. FLOWER from 9 to 11 a.m.

WANTED — A BOY TO WORK BEFORE school each morning, for one hour per day. Apply 725 W. ADAMS ST.

WANTED—TEAMSTER; SALARY $60 PER month; must have $500. HYNES & MYERS, 221 Johnson Blk.

WANTED—5 FIRST-CLASS OPERATORS at once; union wages. SCOTCH TAILORS, 230 S. Spring.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN AS runner for new rooming-house. 254 CENTRAL AVE.

WANTED—NON-UNION WAITERS AT CITY Bakery, Fresno. Address KOHLER & PICKFORD.

WANTED—FOREMAN, RAILROAD CAMP, $150 month and found. 111½ E. SECOND ST. 6

WANTED—FIVE FIRST-CLASS TAILORS at once. SCOTCH TAILORS, 230 S. Spring. 5

WANTED—FOUR FIRST-CLASS BASTERS at once. SCOTCH TAILORS, 230 S. Spring. 5

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE; wages while learning. 122 E. SECOND ST. 6

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS ICE CREAM maker. MERLAN'S. Apply 107 Aliso. 6

WANTED — BARBER, FIRST-CLASS steady man, at 231 W. FOURTH ST. 7

WANTED—MEN WITH CAMERAS TO take views. 1830 CENTRAL AVE. 6

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BARBER. 521 W. PICO ST. 7

WANTED—A BOOTBLACK. 429½ S. MAIN. 6

WANTED—
Help. Female.

WANTED—SECOND GIRL, INSTITUTION, $30; young competent woman to travel, good business proposition, call Saturday; working housekeeper, $15; cooking and dishwashing, work, Pasadena, $25; starch ironer, $1.50; cafe waitress, $7; another, $6; housegirl, beach, 3 in family, $25; pastry cook, $40; short order cook, beach, $25; family cooks, Redlands, $25, $45; housegirl, Ocean Park, $25; Fullerton, $30; Pasadena, $30; Inglewood, $25; long list city work. MRS. HAWLEY AND MISS FORGRAVE, 254 S. Broadway. Home 819; Second Main 819. 6

WANTED—THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 455 S. BROADWAY, 'PHONES M. 1330; HOME 5425.
Man and wife, home place, city, $30; family cook, city, $35; German cook, city, $30, good place; cooking and downstairs work, $30 and $25; working housekeeper, near city, small family, $15, easy place; another, city, $20; girl, general housework, no washing, $30; many others, $25 and $20; two first-class colored women, $25 and $30; middle-aged woman, 2 adults, $20; girls to assist, $12 to $18. 6

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS.
Female Department, Ramona Block.
Spring and Third sts. Rooms 22-23.
'Phone Main 1599. Home 1599.
Girls for light house work, $15 to $20; woman to take charge of house, out of city; 2 experienced mangle girls, $7; 2 first-class waitresses; woman agent for city; 2 first-class chambermaids, city; 2 colored women for housework; seamstress, $1.50 per day; girl for ice cream parlor, $9; women for carpet factory; cook for boarding-house in city, $25.

WANTED—HOUSEGIRL, FAMILY 2, SAN Diego, employer here, $20; housegirl, family 3, city, no washing, $25; cook and downstairs work, no laundry work, $30; housegirl, beach, $30; housegirl, family two, city, $30; same, Hollywood, $20; waitress, $9.50; waitress, hotel, Coronado, $7; waitress, Sunday's Office, 121½ S. Broadway. 6

WANTED—THE HELPMATE.
120 N. MAIN ST.
'Phones—Main 2083; Home 5627.
'PHONE YOUR WANTS.
Girl for general house work, Ventura, $20; girl to assist, $15; cook for ranch, $25 etc.; man and wife, ranch, $40; women for day work, $1.50. Call early if you want work. 8

WANTED—MARK'S EMP. AGENCY, 125 N. Second. Both 'Phones 465. Cook, lunch counter, $10; cook, small restaurant, $10; 2 waitresses, lunch counter, $5; 2 waitresses, hotel, $5; girl, pick berries, hotel, $5 and commission; chambermaid, hotel, $25, no room; girl, housework, $20. 6

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, RANCH, $40; short-order cook, restaurant, $8, room; waitresses, hotels, $25; restaurants, $6; carpet weavers, $1.25 per day; cook, beach, $30; housework, $25, 231½ S. SPRING, room 18. 6

WANTED—FORELADY, $15 WEEK; DISTributor; millinery; nurse; waitress; 11 assorted salesladies situations; antique work; chambermaid; housekeeper. EDWARD NITTINGER, 251½ S. Main. 10

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OR UNEXPERienced pants finisher; experienced pants finisher; will pay from $20 to $12 per week. Call at 213½ N. Spring. BROCKOW, Pant Manufacturer. 6

WANTED—AT OCEAN PARK, A YOUNG girl to assist in housework and care of child 4 years old. Call at 719 LOMA DRIVE, off Electric, before noon Friday, or Tel. Home 1092.

WANTED—CAPABLE LADY MANAGER who understands how to give baths and massage; also a refined assistant. PALATIAL BATHS, 242½ S. Spring st. 15

WANTED—IN WHOLESALE OFFICE, COMpetent and experienced young lady stenographer; write, stating salary, experience, references. P.O. BOX 338, Station C. 6

WANTED—YOUNG LADY CLERK FOR DRY goods and furnishing store near Pasadena; must have had experience as saleslady; salary not over $35. 215 COPP BLDG. 6

WANTED—A GIRL FOR SMALL GERMAN family; must be good cook; good wages for right party. Call between 9 and 12, 119 W. 36TH, near Main.

WANTED — SEVEN LADY BARBERS; guaranteed salary; in the finest ladies' barber shop in the city. Call at 215 E. SECOND ST.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS HAND SEWER on custom coats must be good buttons hole maker. Call at once 115½ N. MAIN ST., room 11.

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED LADY SOlicitors on Babbitt's soap. Call at R. L. CRAIG & CO., between 9:30 and 9 o'clock.

WANTED — IF A GOOD HOME, LIGHT housework and $15 per month interests you take W. Adams car to 2409 LEOTI AVE. 5.

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 123½ E. Fourth st., for women only. 'Phone James 5421.

WANTED—IN APPRENTICE TO WORK on dress skirts. For particulars call between 9 and 10 a.m., at 504 E. 23D ST.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN housework; small family in flat. Call morning, 1904 S. GRAND AVE.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with housework. Call 1136½ W. 20TH ST.

WANTED—GIRL FOR SECOND WORK and child's nurse. 1052 WESTLAKE. 7

WANTED—
Help. Female.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED BINDERY girls, SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PRINTING CO., 105 N. Broadway. 6

WANTED—GOOD FINISHER AND BUTton-hole maker on coats. 440 CENTRAL AVE., corner Gladys. 7

WANTED—WOMAN, REGISTERED PHARmacist, at once. Address box Y, TIMES OFFICE, Santa Ana. 8

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR LAdies' tailoring. PARISIAN LADIES' TAILOR, 823 S. Broadway. 7

WANTED—A WAITRESS. CALL EARLY. HOTEL ROCKWOOD, Eighth and Olive. Home 'Phone 8537. 6

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR LIGHT housework, good home, $10 per month. 1304 S. GRAND AVE. 8

WANTED—GIRLS AND WOMEN FOR OUR fruit department. BISHOP & CO., Seventh and Alameda. 7

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL FOR MASSAGE parlors; experience preferred. 652 SOUTH BROADWAY. 6

WANTED — GOOD WOMAN COOK FOR beach; apply LUNCH COUNTER, Salt Lake depot. 8

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FINISHERS AT once on coats. SCOTCH TAILORS, 230 S. Spring. 5

WANTED — SKIRT AND WAIST HANDS; also apprentices. M. W. FREEMAN, 252 S. Hill. 7

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID. APPLY AT once. NEW HOTEL SOUTHERN, 103 N. Main. 6

WANTED—MAN OR WOMAN TO HELP around house. Apply to 1308 N. MAIN ST.

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSEwork. 1327 MAGNOLIA AVE. 7

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call 2006 UNION AVE. 7

WANTED—FEW INDEPENDENT CARPENters at 652 GLADYS AVE. 6

WANTED—NEAT GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 1234 W. 20TH ST.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED CHAMBERmaid at 124 S. MAIN ST. 6

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS WAIST HAND. Apply 353 S. HILL ST. 6

WANTED—
Situations. Male.

WANTED—
A man of long experience in banking and building and loan associations is desirous on account of family health to remove to California and is open for an engagement in above lines. Correspondence solicited; highest-class references. GEO. L. EPPS, 423 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED — TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

WANTED—A NICE JAPANESE POSITION, any kind of work, between 6:30 and 12 n.m. Address 222 Main st. 6

WANTED—BY MARRIED MAN, AS JANITOR Y.M.C.A., 616 S. L. A. st., city. 6

WANTED—A-1 STENOGRAPHER AND OFfice man wants position; eight years' experience S. P. operator; rapid, steady, accurate; best of references. Address G, box 18, TIMES OFFICE, stating salary. 8

WANTED—DRUGS; GRADUATE OF PHILadelphia College of Pharmacy, thoroughly experienced, desires first-class position. For further particulars address C. H. K., 764 UNION ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STUDYING EVENings, wants office work during day; good stenographer; understands book-keeping and can make himself useful. Address G, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — CARPENTER. STEADY AND faithful, but no rusher, desires work in country, Arizona, or Mexico; plenty tools. State particulars. Address G. box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN 20, WISHES work; willing to start at the bottom if there is a chance for advancement. City references. Address D, box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WISHES POSItion as draftsman in architect's office; 5 years' experience; best references. Address G. DERICKS, 56 John st., Utica, N. Y. 6

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, FIRST-CLASS appearance, wishes light position as collector, cashier, or office work. Address H. box 31, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — CARPENTER WANTS WORK; cottages, repairs and finishing work done at low prices. 'Phone East 56. G. 43 REEVES BLK, 8. 6

WANTED—SITUATION, FIRST-CLASS MAchinist, tool, die and brass pattern maker, or keep factory in running order. Address 31, box 8, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WATCHMAKER, HIGH-GRADE; wants steady work; have worked in best shops, East and West; age 32. Address H, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, FAITHFUL, EFficient, good appearance, wishes position, outdoor real estate work. Address H, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED steam and electrical engineer; young, single, with good references. Address H, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — JAPANESE, EXCELLENT cook, experienced 10 years, desires a position. 631 W. SIXTH ST. 'Phones Home 1078; Main 1714

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE WANTS position in city or country; can handle horses, milk, etc. Address YAMA, 508 Turner st. 7

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, GRADUATE physician, desires position as nurse or attendant. Address H, box 25, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOK-KEEPER or assistant; 10 years' experience. Address F. N. DANIEL, Glenwood Hotel, Riverside, Cal.

WANTED—POSITION BY FOUR COLORED men to do janitor work or house cleaning or useful and general. 'PHONE BOYLE 224. 6

WANTED — A FULLY EXPERIENCED Japanese wants a position of milk man. 125 W. NINTH ST., Los Angeles. E. YAKURA. 8

WANTED—ANYONE DESIRING A FIRSTclass colored coachman, many years' experience, inquire at 814 S. JULIAN ST. 6

WANTED—BY MIDDLE-AGED MAN TO collect for wholesale house in city; references. Address G, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG SWEDish man, gardening preferred; eastern references. G. C., 21944 E. EIGHTH ST. 6

WANTED—SITUATION BY ALL-ROUND baker; understands salt-rising bread. Address F. box 35, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — BY GERMAN, GARDEN OR general work as milking cows, etc. R. SCHELLENBURG, 222 E. Second st. 6

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, WELL EDUcated, would like position any kind. Address H. box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG MAN with newspaper experience; references. Address G, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—2 HOURS WORK MORNING and evening for board and room, city. Address H, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—GOOD EXPERIENCED JAPAnese boy wants situation as milk cow, city or country. 711 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED—POSITION AS PORTER OR ASsistant janitor; A-1 reference. Address JAMES WATERS, 514 Towne ave. 6

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG MAN, city or country, good references. Address F. box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MARRIED MAN position as foreman on a ranch. Address H. box 40, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG MAN IN store or wholesale house. Address J. J. J., 444 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A PRACTICAL meat cutter from the East. Natick House, room 271, WARD. 6

WANTED—MAN WISHES AN OFFICE TO clean; city reference. Address G, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—MAN, HANDY WITH TOOLS, wants work. BAILEY, 636 W. Jefferson, Pico 4122. 7

WANTED—WE CLEAN WINDOWS, WOODwork, carpets, lawn and gardens. MAIN 2920. 6

WANTED—JAPANESE WANTS HOUSEwork. Address H, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 9

WANTED—
Situations. Female.

WANTED—AN EASTERN WOMAN, EDUcated and refined, wishes position where faithful, efficient service would be appreciated; care of office, collecting or charge of house. Address G, box 29, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — JAPANESE YOUNG GIRL speaks good English, wants situation to do any indoor work, except cooking; sleep home; wages $5 per week. 'PHONES MAIN 5071; HOME 978. 7

WANTED—SERVICES, DOMESTIC OR AS teacher; music, language, etc., offered by young lady engaged during day in exchange for home; references. Address H, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—EXCELLENT GERMAN COOK, with references, wishes situation; wages $25 to $40. MRS. HAWLEY AND MISS FORGRAVE, 254 S. Broadway. 6

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COLORED FAMily cook, with local references, wishes situation. MRS. HAWLEY AND MISS FORGRAVE, 254 S. Broadway. 6

WANTED—
Situations. Female.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED NURSE WISHes position to take care of invalid; beach preferred; best of references. Call or address 218 W. 14TH. city. 6

WANTED — TRAINED NURSE OF WIDE experience wishes entire charge of delicate infant; physician's references. Address G, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — POSITION IN OFFICE BY young lady having knowledge of book-keeping and stenography. Address F, box 47, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—BY GERMAN GIRL, POSITION as cook in first-class private family, city or vicinity; wages $35. 203 CENTRAL AVE., room 3.

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TO LET—FINE NEWLY FURNISHED 7-room flat; also furnished housekeeping rooms, 1000 S. HOPE. 7

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TO LET—4-ROOM FLAT, COMPLETELY furnished for housekeeping; gas range; bath. 28 S. FLOWER. 6

TO LET—NEW 6-ROOM FURNISHED flat, piano, only $40. 6

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For Sale—Westlake, 10-room house, east front, well removed from other houses; hence very sunny; lower floors oak, bath up and downstairs.

$7000

For Sale—High ground, beautiful view, 10-room house, sandstone front.

$11,000

For Sale—Westlake district, lot 60x150, 10-room modern house.

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317 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—

WESTLAKE COTTAGE,

$2900

You can get a bargain near Westlake ave. and Winfield st.; a lot 60x130, fully 3 feet above street, with 4-room cottage. The cottage is NOT new, but is in good condition; lot alone is worth $2400; will sell this choice located property for

$2800—

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FOR SALE—NEW SIX-ROOM COTTAGE, ON fine corner lot, within two minutes' ride of Second and Spring sts.; good-sized parlor, with bay window and piano window; large dining-room, with bay window and pretty mantel, and grate; three fine bedrooms, well arranged kitchen; plumbing very best; coved ceilings; gas and electricity; cement walks, flowers, etc.; rented for $28 per month; can be had on a low figure and on easy terms, or would take lot as first payment; bargain. 1490 E. 8TH ST., one block from Central ave.

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$1200—$300 cash; a 5-room rustic house, rooms good size, barn, chicken corral, etc.; this includes a lot; on corner, 80x150; this is a BIG BUY.

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FOR SALE—

PRICE $4250.
WESTLAKE PARK.
GRAND VIEW ST.
A GEM OF A HOME.

Fine large six-room home, all modern improvements, large rooms, polished floors, lot 50x140; fine lawn and flowers, elegant location, surrounded by large expensive houses; price $4250; $1000 cash, balance easy. JONES RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

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HOUSES BUILT ON EASY TERMS.

If you want to have a house built for cash or on easy terms, it will be to your interest to let me give you a figure, as I can save you money; first-class work guaranteed.

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AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY!
NEW, MODERN, 5-ROOM COTTAGE
IN SOUTHWEST,
WITHIN TWO BLOCKS OF 2 CAR LINES.
PRICE $2500.
ONLY $100 DOWN AND $20 A MONTH!
WILL SELL QUICKLY.
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BARGAIN.
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$2450—House and lot, new, modern, first-class; 7 rooms; big 2-story barn; lot 92x125; beautiful garden; on Pico Heights, one block from car.

CONWAY & KESSLER,
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FOR SALE—
ONE BLOCK FROM MAIN.

6-room new and strictly modern 2-story cottage, just finished; if you want something different than the regular run of cottages, see this. It's a peach, sure.
$2100 $2100
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FOR SALE—

LOOK! $2025. LOOK!

For Sale—Fine 6-room cottage on Central ave.; large lot, great big bathroom, with every modern convenience; owner must sell; worth $2600; yours for $2025 today. To see it is to buy it if you want a bargain. GUS B. HILL, for Strong & Dickinson, 135 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—2-STORY HOUSE, 8 ROOMS, almost new, well built, nicely arranged, thoroughly modern; also stable, cement cellar, big lot; lawn, etc.; well built up, most respectable neighborhood; must be sold, with or without furniture. It is 519 East 16th st. A snap; easy terms; inspect it, then see WERNER & CO., 307 N. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—9-ROOM, 2-STORY HOUSE ON W. 36th st., near Traction and University car; lawn, flowers, fruit trees; lot 45x135; street work all done; price $3000; adjoining property held at $4000, and is not as good a buy. THOS. J. HAMPTON CO., 204-7 Mason Operahouse. Members L. A. Realty Board. 8

FOR SALE—6-ROOM DOUBLE HOUSE ON E. 15th, one side rented to a permanent tenant for $10; other side will bring $12.50 per month; price $1350; $200 cash, balance $15 per month; lot 60x142; fruit and flowers; a bargain. THOS. J. HAMPTON, 204 Mason Operahouse. Members L. A. Realty Board. 8

FOR SALE—
5-room house, W. 22nd st., near Main; beautifully decorated, cove ceilings, tinted walls, and most conveniently arranged house in the city; not built to sell, but for a home; rent $25 per month; $2350; terms to suit.
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Buys a fine new, modern, 5-room cottage, southwest, near 2 street cars lines. ROSS & SMITH, 320 Bradbury Bldg. 6

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$100 CASH. $20 MONTH.
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GOODWIN, 309 W. First.

FOR SALE—
A 50x125-FOOT LOT AND 6-ROOM COTTAGE, 16TH AND GRAND AVE. THINK OF IT, FOR $2100; MUST ACT QUICKLY. THIS IS A BARGAIN.
A. T. JERGINS & CO.,
204 LAUGHLIN BLDG. HOME 'PHONE 1911. 6

FOR SALE—ONLY $3200; A NINE-ROOM house, modern in every respect and less than a year old; lot 60x136; 10 minutes to business; $500 below value, but owner must have money to meet business demands. Inquire quickly. For information address H, box 15, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, BEAUTIFUL home in Riverside, 160x150; 47 navel oranges, 100 feet Loganberries; variety of fruits; house, 6 rooms, bath, barn, corral, chicken-house; payments to suit purchaser; on Victoria car line. 'PHONE 3821. 8

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX days by the BULLETIN REAL ESTATE, 10-room house, new and modern, oak floors, everything the very best; was made for a home, in the best location, but unfortunately have to sell at once. $6100. 314 WEST FOURTH. 6

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD IN 10 DAYS. BY OWNER. PRETTY 5-ROOM HOUSE, ON CORONADO, SEE INSIDE. CHEAP. EASY TERMS. DON'T MISS THIS CHANCE. G. W. BURTON.

FOR SALE—WE BUILD FOR CASH OR ON terms; we furnish plans and money; if you expect to build, see us, for we can save you money; let us show you some of the houses we are building. J. BURRIS MITCHEL & CO., 326-27 Douglas Bldg. Home 2774.

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FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX DAYS by the BULLETIN REAL ESTATE CO. House, new and modern, near Main and Adams sts.; lot 50x125; only $2100; papers must pass in a few days. 214 WEST FOURTH. 6

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX DAYS by the BULLETIN REAL ESTATE. 8-room house, new and modern; excellent location, near Adams st.; everything of the best; was built for a home, but must sell at once; $4800. 314 W. FOURTH. 6

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN COTTAGES, 5 and 6 rooms each, gas, electricity, best plumbing, nicely decorated, $2500 and $2700; would take lot as first payment; fine bargains; close in. R. D. LISK, 512 Tajo Bldg.

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FOR SALE—2 NEW, 5-ROOM HOUSES, ALL modern, located southwest, price $2100; also on terms; must be sold; going East. CHARLES LANGE, Contractor, 205 S. Main. Tel. Home 2914. 7

FOR SALE—NO AGENTS; COSY HOME 5 rooms, pantry, plastered, tinted, bath, w. closet, chicken house; easy terms; $1350, worth $1700. 982 DEWEY AVE.

FOR SALE—$1500; COMFORTABLE 5-ROOM cottage, E. Adams, near Long Beach line; large lot, small payment down, balance like rent. WESTON, 121 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN, 6-ROOM house, near West Adams; cost, electricity, cement cellar, barnain for quick sale. Address G, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 7

FOR SALE — OR RENT. BEAUTIFUL home, 7-room cottage, barn, cellar, fruit, flowers, garden, modern; new; bargain to buyers. See owner, 1042 E. 24TH. 6

FOR SALE—ONE 4-ROOM HOUSE TO BE moved off of lot; suitable for 25-foot front; must be sold in 20 days. 351 N. FIGUEROA, or H, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR SALE—THOROUGHLY MODERN AND attractive seven-room house, in West Adams Heights. 1927 LA SALLE AVE., on Washington car line. 6

FOR SALE—LOT 50x150, 4-ROOM HOUSE ON Essex st., near Pico; fine location; the house is almost new; price $2000. Inquire at 726 RUTH AVE. 9

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$1

Liners.

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA, FRUIT, VINE OR grain lands in either the Modesto or Turlock irrigation districts. No water rights to buy. The land OWNS the water. We have been selling land in this county for 17 years and have the best of bargains to offer in city or country property. Call on or address F. E. B. RICE & SONS, Modesto, Cal.

FOR SALE—
10 acre lot to colony tracts; the very best foothill land with an abundance of water; out of the frost; suitable for walnuts, oranges, alfalfa and winter vegetables; close to city; price $120 to $150 per acre.
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FOR SALE—
ALFALFA AND WALNUT RANCHES.
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ON ELECTRIC LINE.
$45 PER ACRE.
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10 acres of the finest soil in Southern California; fine location; an abundance of water; only $1400; easy terms; this is a bargain; look it up early.
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FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE. 12-ACRE fruit and nut farm in bearing trees, good cottage, and other improvements, $7500, one-half cash, balance $1500 yearly, or will exchange for city lots. Address owner, G, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 6

FOR SALE—COUNTRY—
2½ and acre lots at SUNNYSIDE; fertile soil, abundant free water, only 2 miles from city.
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FOR SALE—7 MILES FROM RIVERSIDE. 160 acres of foothill land, 100 stands of bees, small shed, 4-room house, barn, etc.; $800 for cash. Address BOX 1142, Riverside, Cal. 8

FOR SALE—$7500; 20 ACRES NEAR Riverside, 15 in selected soft-shell walnuts; also other fruits; water plenty; might consider well-located city or suburban residence in part. Address G, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 7

FOR SALE—COLUSA IRRIGATED LANDS, $40 per acre; alfalfa and fruits; 25 inches rain; splendid climate; rich deep soil; river transportation. Call or address C. M. WOOSTER CO., 410 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—10-ACRE RANCH AT RIALTO; good house and barn; 10 shares water stock; all planted; close to station. Price $1150. C. E. PENDELL, 6 Temple Block.

FOR SALE—LAND SUITABLE FOR ALfalfa at $40 an acre; 20 miles from Los Angeles; water easily developed. L. M. PRATT, 620 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—BEST FARM AND FRUIT lands in California; plenty moisture. Five stations. Write freely. JOY & MAHER, Watsonville, Santa Cruz county.

FOR SALE—LANDS AND RANCHES IN Muddy River Valley, on Salt Lake Railroad, in Nevada, for sale. Address A, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$5 NOW, BUY A NEVADA lands on Salt Lake R.R.; worth $50 per acre soon. C. BARSCHIG, 235 Copp Bldg. 8

FOR SALE—ALFALFA AND FRUIT LANDS. Free excursion. Information at A. B. SHOEMAKE CO., 128 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—FRUIT RANCH IN BEAUTIFUL Southern California, altitude 1400, no fog, grand views; 12 acres prune, peach, apricot, nectarines, figs, oranges, lemons, grapes, modern 8-room plastered house, bath, toilet, solar heater, chicken houses, corrals, sheds; ample supply pure mountain water; price for all $9000, or will subdivide with or without buildings to suit purchaser; terms; $2000 cash, balance $20,000. ELBERT S. JOHNSON, real estate, insurance, loans, notary, North Pasadena, Cal. Phones Home and Sunset Main 79.

FOR SALE—BERRY FARMS PAY IMmense returns per acre. To be successful they must have suitable soil, climate, abundant water, and easy proximity to a market. All these we can offer at SUNNYSIDE—acre and 2½-acre lots.
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FOR SALE — 5 ACRES BEST LAND IN Montebello tract, with water, 4 miles from city, $1400, ½ cash. Also chicken ranch, 1½ acres, 6-room house, water piped, suburb San Diego, sale, or exchange cheap. GRAY, 416 E. 22d, L. A.

FOR SALE—CHICKEN RANCHES THE climate, soil, water and location of SUNNYSIDE make it an ideal spot for raising chickens. Poultry farming pays.
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FOR SALE — ALTADENA POPPY TRACT; large villa lots, magnificent view; mountain water, new electric line, in Altadena thermal belt, $225.
BLADES & ARMITAGE,
117 Henne Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE. 10-ACRE ranch, improved; near San Gabriel electric car; I must go East and will give someone a bargain. C. W. STEWART, 429 Douglas Block. 6

FOR SALE—2 ACRES FINE LAND WITH water, near city, only $700, on terms; a fine vegetable and chicken ranch. Owner, 540 BRADBURY BLDG.

FOR SALE — $500 BUYS 20 ACRES AT Chatsworth Park, adjoining finely improved ranch. F. O. CASS, room 234, Douglas Bldg. 8

ROLLYWOOD.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN—

We have for sale in the Ocean View tract, the choicest residence section of Hollywood, a fine lot, which can be bought at a bargain if taken before May 1, as the owner needs money; price only $500.
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Beach Property.

FOR SALE—
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Sand lots in the beautiful Seaside Park, Long Beach; improvements all in, sewer, gas, electricity, the famous Bouton artesian water, and sidewalks; 22 fine cottages; 17-c fare from Los Angeles. Long Beach cars direct to tract, 10-minute service. For sale by
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Formerly Short Line Beach,
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The finest beach on the Coast;
Gas, electricity, sewer and water;
The new cut-off will soon be
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Prices from $200 up.
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FOR SALE—OR FOR RENT. FURNISHED 4-room cottage, flowers, vegetables, barn, chicken-house, stone sidewalk, beautiful view. F. KELLER, 646 S. Sixth st., Santa Monica 6

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE—
OCEAN PARK.
For Sale—BARGAIN IN LOT AT OCEAN Park, on Clubhouse ave.; a swell street; $1200. M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg. Home 1714.

FOR SALE—OCEAN PARK BARGAIN; $1000 cash buys $1500 equity, 6 rooms, finest corner; finest views; adjoins Frezer ave. C. BARSCHIG, 235 Copp Bldg.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—
A 5-room modern cottage, located on Cedar; will rent for the summer season at $30 per month; elegantly furnished; party going East for a few months; this property can be bought at $3500. G. W. HUGHES, 127 Cedar Ave., Long Beach.

FOR SALE—LEASE AND FURNITURE. best located rooming-house at Long Beach; new brick building, 18 rooms; newly furnished; large reception hall; $1600. 221 PINE AVE., Long Beach, Cal. 13

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE HAVE FOR SALE or exchange 20 acres of fine soil, planted to citrus and deciduous fruits, located on the electric line at San Gabriel; the ground lies perfectly level and the soil cannot be surpassed; the Alhambra electric cars pass within 200 feet; this property is ripe for subdivision and 50-ft. lots will sell readily at $250 per lot; it is clear of incumbrance, and we can deliver the 20 acres for $450 per acre; will accept desirable Los Angeles property, value $8000 to $14,000, in exchange; your money can be trebled in from 12 to 18 months.
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FOR EXCHANGE—$1, MONTE, $3000, A fine walnut grove of 30 acres, trees in good condition and a splendid water supply, close to Bassett Station on main county road, to clear, exchange for residence in Los Angeles or lake vacant; will assume.
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FOR EXCHANGE — FOR UNINCUMBERED city or beach property, 640 acres of unincumbered, improved land, situated in Las Animas county, Colo., and Stanislaus county, Cal. Taxes low and paid to date. Best of title, abstracts, etc. Want to locate in California, and will give someone a bargain if exchange is made at once. Address G, box 70, TIMES OFFICE. 7

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 16-ROOM ROOMing-house, clear and full roomers; 6 months' rent paid in advance; for small store doing good business; have 14 rooms for larger house; have 57 acres alfalfa ranch for inside property. See DENTON, ABRAMS & MARSHALL, 117 S. Broadway. 6

FOR EXCHANGE — HAVE ACQUIRED equity of $4500 in a new, modern 8-room cottage and six lots, about 20 minutes ride from First st., well located, that will exchange for good walnut, orange or lemon ranch, clear. Owner, 346 BRADBURY BLDG. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—
EQUITY OF $2700
IN MY ELEGANT
NEW 10-ROOM
HOUSE FOR VACANT
PROPERTY, OR COTTAGE.
ADDRESS E, BOX 22, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE, A DESIRABLE piece of income property in heart of the city, west of Main st.; mortgaged for less than the value; will take good clear property for half; prefer suburban. Address Owner, B, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE WALNUT RANCH. 25 acres, mostly full-bearing walnuts; pumping plant, house, barn, implements; price $17,000; will take Los Angeles income property up to $9500. See L. M. PRATT, 620 Laughlin Bldg. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 14 FINE BUILDing lots in one of Boston's best suburbs, including 3 corners; valued $12,000 to $15,000, unincumbered; am here to stay; want good California property. Address G, box 90, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR EXCHANGE — FRUIT RANCH, 60 acres, good buildings, about 25 acres in lemons, oranges and walnuts; value $20,000; mortgage $8000; bargain for cash. Address H, box 57, TIMES OFFICE. 6

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FOR EXCHANGE—AT POMONA, A FINE improved 20-acre orange grove for a good farm. Address E. E. GILLEN & CO., Pomona, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—PETERS & WEBSTER, 311-17 Laughlin Bldg., will sell or exchange your property; large list to select from.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. Office 308 and 309, BRYSON BLOCK. Second and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—115-ACRE ALFALFA ranch, Orange county, want city income. 228 Bradbury Bldg. G. H. CLARK. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT HOLLYWOOD for fine modern artistic home on West Adams st. See TAYLOR, 102 Broadway.

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FOR EXCHANGE—$6000; TIMBER LAND, clear; want something here. Address H, box 56, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES IN TOLUCA for Los Angeles property. 134 N. AVE. 24, Pasadena. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD CITY LOT FOR beach lot. See FRANK JAMES, 529 Douglas Bldg., city. 7

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—ELATERITE ROOFING costs less than shingles, never needs painting, used instead of pitch and gravel, metal tile or slate; the best for roof, garden or warehouse floors; sold on merit and guaranteed. ELATERITE ROOFING CO., 638 Byrne Bldg., cor. Third.

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Don't fail to attend our stock reduction sale in the next ten days; all paints and varnishes at greatly reduced prices. ACME SASH DOOR AND PAINT CO., 405-7 N. Main st.

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FOR SALE—1 STEAM TABLE, SUITABLE for delicacy store; 2 cash registers, 1 nearly new. Call NINTH WARD MARKET, First and Cummings, N.W. 6

FOR SALE — SECOND-HAND NATIONAL Hallwood and Osborn cash registers; lowest prices in city; easy terms. REID, 142 S. Broadway, room 128. 7

FOR SALE — WAGON, ONE 2¼-INCH Studebaker, running gear with lime bed; used six months; cheap. COLYEAR'S, 222 S. Main st. 6

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FOR SALE—HANDSOME AND SUBSTANtial Davenport sofa, cheap, nearly new. Can be seen at 345 S. HOPE ST. 6

FOR SALE — OR TRADE—1 STAR HAY press, for hogs or cattle or barley hay. GEO. B. KELLAM, Downey, Cal. 13

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FOR SALE—SOME UNCALLED FOR SUITS, new, WENNING & CO., Merchant Tailors, 315-316 Stowell Bldg. 6

FOR SALE — TWO 25-FOOT GLASS STORE fronts. See R. WILCUT, corner Ninth and San Pedro st. 8

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FOR SALE—CHEAP, 'CELLO, COST $150. 125 E. ADAMS ST. 7

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ALL CHEAP. ALL CHEAP.
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SPORTING PAGE.

IRISH LAD THE WINNER.

Had Top Weight for the Metropolitan Handicap.

Lord Badge With Cormack Up is Thrown.

Stanford Track Men Will go East—Baseball.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—Irish Lad won the thirteenth running of the Metropolitan Handicap over the Withers mile at Morris Park, today, in easy fashion. He was carrying top weight, and was favorite in the betting by many points. Taking the lead in the first hundred yards, he led his field without trouble, although the pace was fast.

The horse seemed to feel his superiority, and at the three-quarters slackened his speed as though unwilling to run faster than necessary. As a result the field closed up on him. Shaw then gave his mount a vigorous shaking-up and Irish Lad drew out and won by two lengths from Toboggan, an added starter from the Keene stable. Beldame, winner of the Carter Handicap a few weeks ago, was third, after a nose-and-nose finish with the much-vaunted Highball.

All the entries that seemed to have a chance to win got away from the post well except Lux Casta. That erratic mare and Highball were disturbing factors at the start, which was delayed for several minutes, but when the flag fell, the horses were fairly well alligned, City Bank, the eleventh-hour entry of John E. Madden, and Toboggan getting the worst of the send-off.

Damon was first to break, but before the first sixteenth-of-a-mile post was reached, Irish Lad had gone through on the rail and was two lengths in front. Here an accident occurred that might prove serious. Lord Badge, ridden by Cormack and heavily-backed for second and third places, was well away from the post and near the outer rail. Beldame, with Brennan, was in the middle of the bunch, and was one of the first away. As soon as she got into her stride, she bolted toward the outer fence and struck Lord Badge sharply, knocking the horse down on his side. Cormack was sent rolling in the dust, but rose uninjured. Lord Badge jumped to his feet quickly, and was not hurt.

Meanwhile Irish Lad was leading through the first and second quarters of the race, with a scattered field behind him, its members constantly changing position, with Mamie Worth, Toboggan, Red Knight, Stalwart and Damon his closest followers. Mamie Worth quit at the five-eighths pole.

Something seemed to discourage Highball just before the turn was reached, and he backed up as if done. He was clear at the time, and no reason for his faltering was apparent, especially in view of the fact that he came on again strongly in the stretch.

Coming around the turn Irish Lad held his lead, but the others began to draw nearer as they straightened out for home. Irish Lad seemed to slow up, as if to encourage his competitors, but Shaw was taking no chances. With hands and heels he urged on the leader, and Irish Lad responded quickly. His apparent faltering had encouraged the others, and Cochran, on Red Knight, Bullman on Highball and Burls on Toboggan began to ride like mad, believing they saw a chance to snatch the prize.

It was a vain hope, however, for the Candlemas colt was going easily, and without an effort increased his advantage a length, gaining still more as he neared the end, and winning by two lengths from Toboggan, who was tired, but game.

The rake to the winner was worth about $11,500; $2000 to the second and $1000 to the third horse. The first betting was 3 to 1 against Irish Lad, but heavy wagers sent his price down to 7 to 5. The attendance was 3500. The weather was fine and the track fast. Results:

Five and a half furlongs: Reliable won, Sovereign second, Robin Hood third; time 1:07.

Four and a half furlongs: Tanya won, Santa Catalina second, Lalite third; time 0:54.

Five furlongs, the Juvenile Stakes: Song and Wine won, Right Royal second, Aupert third; time 0:57⅘.

The Withers mile, the Metropolitan Handicap: Irish Lad 123 (Shaw,) 7 to 5, won; Toboggan, 103 (Burns,) 10 to 1 second; Beldame, 98 (A. Brennan,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:40. Highball, Red Knight, Stalwart Buttons, Damon, Orthodox, Lord of the Valley, Lux Casta, Eugenie Burch, Mamie Worth, Careless, Ingold, City Bank and Lord Badge also ran.

The Meadowbrook Hunters' Trial Steeplechase, about two miles: Coligny won, White Crest second, Twilight third; time 4:05.

Last seven furlongs of Withers mile, selling: Elsie won, Monadnock second, Cincinnatus third; time 1:28.

IT WAS EASY FOR LOOLOOS.

WHALEN LACKED STEADINESS AND WALKED FOUR MEN.

Passes and Five Hits Gave the Angels Four Runs in the Fourth Inning — After that Everything Was Easy for the Men from the South.

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The southerners today profited by Whalen's lack of steadiness and effectiveness. He walked four men, and all of them scored. In the fourth inning, passes and five hits gave the Angels four runs, and after that everything was easy for the visitors. Score:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bernard, cf	4	1	2	0	0	2	0	0
Flood, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	2	0	0
Smith, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Cravath, rf	4	1	2	2	0	5	1	0
Ross, lf	4	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
Chase, 1b	4	1	1	0	0	6	0	0
Toman, ss	4	0	1	0	0	2	2	0
Spies, c	4	1	2	1	0	5	0	0
Newton, p	3	1	0	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	34	10	9	4	0	27	5	0

SAN FRANCISCO.

	A.	B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hildebrand, cf	4	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Waldron, cf	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kearns, rf	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Irwin, 2b	3	1	1	2	0	2	2	0
Leahy, c	3	1	1	0	0	6	2	0
Massey, 1b	4	0	2	0	0	8	1	0
Harrison, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Miller, ss	3	0	1	0	0	2	3	1
Whalen, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	6	1
Totals	32	2	6	2	0	27	15	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Los Angeles	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	3	0	—10
Base hits	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	—9
San Francisco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2
Base hits	0	1	0	2	1	1	0	1	1	—7

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Massey (2,) Bernard, Ross, Irwin (2,) Cravath.
Sacrifice hit—Flood.
First base on errors—Los Angeles, 2.
First base on called balls—Off Whalen, 4; off Newton, 1.
Left on bases—San Francisco, 5; Los Angeles, 4.
Struck out—By Whalen, 5; by Newton, 1.
Hit by pitcher—Bernard, Leahy.
Double play—Cravath to Chase.
Wild pitch—Whalen.
Time of game—1h. 20m.
Umpire—McDonald.

POSTPONED GAME.

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PORTLAND (Or.) May 5.—Oakland-Portland game was postponed on account of rain.

POSTPONED GAME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) May 5.—Tacoma-Seattle game postponed on account of rain.

Pacific Coast League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Tacoma	34	22	11	.647
Oakland	36	21	12	.583
Los Angeles	37	21	16	.568
Seattle	32	17	15	.531
San Francisco	37	17	20	.459
Portland	34	7	27	.205

No Tacoma-Seattle game at Seattle or Portland-Oakland game at Portland owing to rain.

Burlingame Throws Dwyer.

CHARLOTTSVILLE (Va.) May 5.—George Burlingame of Baltimore won a catch-as-catch-can wrestling match from M. J. Dwyer, light weight champion of the United States, tonight by securing a fall in twenty-eight minutes on a strangle hold.

BEST DOGS WIN PRIZES.

Arthur Letts's Ravenswood is Champion Pointer.

Field-trails Winner Loses to a Local Dog.

Crowd Sees the Bench Show. More Awards Today.

Howling dogs, barking dogs, sleepy dogs and some with the meek, brown eyes like the girl had in the poet's song, were hauled up on the stage for investigtaion yesterday at Chutes Theater, for the judges were passing upon the merits of the beasts and awarding blue, red and white ribbons for various degrees of excellence. It was a great day for the inmates of the kennel club show, but, strange to say, those that did not get any prizes at all ate just as much supper last night as those that won first honors, for it is only human beings that feel sick over the loss of a first prize.

Some of the dogs were pretty noisy yesterday over the excitement of being looked at, for there was a constant stream of people pouring in and out of the show all day. This is eminently proper, for there are many dogs good to look at on exhibition. In fact all of them are worthy of notice, for a dog without many redeeming traits is not often entered in a bench show.

The hard work of the show commenced yesterday when the judges started to judge the entries, and it can be truthfully stated that they did their work well, notwithstanding the fact that it is difficult to judge so many high class dogs. The judging of the dogs as a whole was completed last evening, and today will come the difficult task of judging for the special prizes. This will include the selection of the best dog of each breed, the best in any breed, the best in the county, the best owned by a member, and the best collie owned by a member of the California Collie Club.

SOME SURPRISES.

There was a number of surprises yesterday in the awards, and dogdom will not forget some of these for many days. In the pointer class, for instance, the dog Dr. Daniels, entered by the California Kennels of Del Rey, beat the Field Trials Champion Glenwood of the Stockdale Kennels at Bakersfield. Glenwood is of the champion Cuba of Kenwood stock, well known on the Coast for years as the property of Will Tevis, the multimillionaire ranchman of San Francisco and Bakersfield.

In English setters Klamath of the California Kennels beat the Victoria, B. C. dog, Count Rego, a first-prize winner at the bench shows in both Vancouver and Victoria. Of the setter bitches the first prize was taken by John Ripinger's Seattle dogs, Ch. Pera and Elloree, who easily disposed of all other entries. Among the cocker spaniels two prizes went to the northwest. Duke Royal from Washington winning in the blacks and Portland Kid of Portland in the tricolor.

The major part of the collie prizes will stay in Los Angeles, for Mrs. W. Stewart of this city won the novice with her Tinto, and Arthur Letts of this city captured the open, limit and winners' class prizes with his famous Ravenswood, who now becomes a champion with this victory, having won firsts at five shows, these being at Seattle, Portland, San Francisco, San José and Los Angeles. The best judges in the United States, who have judged at these five shows, state that without doubt Ravenswood is the best sable and white collie in the United States, and when you look at him it is easy to believe that he might have been raised by the original Hoot Mon.

In the Boston terriers, Mrs Chas. Mackay, whose husband is a member of the Baker Stoock Company at the Burbank Theater, took two blue ribbons with her fine dog Prince of Pilsen.

Mrs. North Osgoodby's Prince Gyp easily took first honors in the picked class of the bull terriers, and from all accounts he is worth it. Mr. Osgoodby, who is heavily interested in the Mission Bay Land Company, paid $500 for Prince Gyp in the East recently, and has since been offered $2000 for the dog, which he refused.

PRIZE WINNERS.

The list of awards yesterday was as follows:

ST. BERNARDS.

Puppy dogs—First, Dr. Roller's Dorian; second, Dr. Roller's Major.
Novice dogs—First, M. F. George, Prince Leo; second, T. C. Wirschiug, Bernardo.
Limit dogs—First, E. E. Angst, Prince Royal.
Open dogs—First, E. E. Angst, Prince Royal; second, S. F. Smiley, Kano; third, M. F. George, Prince Leo.
Reserve—T. V. Harrow, Prince.
Winner dogs—First, E. E. Angst, Prince Royal.
Reserve—S. F. Smiley, Kano.

ST. BERNARDS.

Puppy bitches—First, Dr. O. P. Roller's Beauty.
Novice bitches—First, Dr. Roller's Lady Lucille.
Winner bitches—First, Dr. Roller's Lady Lucille.
Reserve—Dr. Roller's Beauty.

POINTERS.

Novice dogs—First, California Kennels, Doctor Daniels; second, W. S. Tevis's Glenwood; third, J. R. Kreger's Doctor Morgan; reserve, A. H. Jackson's Dandy. V. H. C., H. T. Engelbrecht, Mike; V. N. C., J. R. Kreger's Daisy Dot.
Limit dogs—First, California Kennels, Doctor Daniels; second, Stockdale Kennels, General Joe Wheeler; third, Stockdale Kennels, Glenwood; reserver, A. C. Jackson's Dandy; V. H. C., H. T. Englebrecht, Mike.
Open dogs—First, California Kennels, Doctor Daniels; second, Stockdale Kennels, General Joe Wheeler; third, Stockdale Kennels, Glenwood.
Reserve, P. Morris, Teddy Kent.
Winner dogs—First, California Kennels, Doctor Daniels.
Reserve, Stockdale Kennels, General Joe Wheeler.

GREAT DANES.

Puppy dogs—First, F. R. Valk's Major.
Open dogs—First, Mrs. H. M. Borden's King.
Winner dogs—First, Mrs. H. M. Borden's King.
Reserve—F. R. Valk's Major.
Novice—First, F. R. Valk's Princess Fan; second, C. L. Sweeney's Queen.
Winner bitches—First, F. R. Valk's Princess Fan.
Reserve—C. L. Sweeney's Queen.

ST. BERNARDS (S. C.)

Puppy dogs—First, Helen L. Buffington's Major.
Open dogs—First, Mrs. C. E. McStay's Duke Russell; second, T. W. Watson's Don Ceasar.
Winner dogs—First, Duke Russell.
Reserve—Don Caesar.

POINTERS.

Puppy bitches—First, Stockdale Kennels, Cuba's Dina.
Novice bitches—First, William J. Morris, Faith; second, California Kennels, Gamma, third, Stockdale Kennels, Flys Pearl.
Reserve—J. W. Vance, Black Diamond.
Limit bitches—First, Stockdale Kennels, Cuba's Dinah; second, California Kennels, Senorita.
First—William J. Morris, Faith; second, Stockdale Kennels, Cuba's Dinah; third, William J. Morris, Seekong Flirt.
Reserve—G. Lawson, Phoebe.
Winners—First, William J. Morris, Faith.
Reserve—Stockdale Kennels, Cuba's Dinah.
Puppy dogs—First, California Kennels, Mariposa; second, K. E. Preuss, Pancho; third, S. Mather, Stylish Duke.
Reserve—Charles P. Schreiner, Echo Nick.
Novice dogs—First, California Kennels, Kalamath; second, J. M. Doniey, Monterey; third, K. E. Preuss, Pancho.
Reserve—S. Mather, Stylish Duke.
Limit dogs—First, California Kennels, California Bell Boy.
Open dogs—First, T. P. McConnell, Count Rego; second, California Kennels, Jay M.
Winners—First, California Kennels, Kalamath.
Reserve—California Kennels, Mariposa.
Puppy bitches—First, California Kennels, Santa Rita; second, C. L. Perry, Stylish Duchess; third, K. E. Preuss, Lady May.
Reserve—O. W. Sharples, Lora Dillon.
Novice bitches—First, Dr. C. A. Kuns, Queen; second, C. L. Perry, Stylish Duchess; third, K. E. Preuss, Lady May; reserve, E. A. Parsons, Lady Parsons; V. H. C., E. A. Parsons, Parson's Fad.
Limit bitches—First, K. C. Preuss, Doll; Gray; second, T. P. McConnell, Tuphile Judith; third, C. A. Kuhns, Queen.
Reserve, E. A. Parsons, Lady Parsons.
Open bitches—First, John Ripilnger, Pera; second, John Ripilnger, Elloree; third, C. A. Kuhns, Dolly Gray; reserve, T. P. McConnell, Tuphilo Judith; V. H. C., E. A. Parsons, Lady Parsons; V. N. C., C. A. Kuhns, Queen.
Winners—First, John Ripilnger, Pera.
Reserve—Elloree.

IRISH SETTERS.

Novice dogs—First, Paul Peipers, Royal Dan; second, Mrs. Paul Hutchinson, Flagiaas; third, Flora Cummings, Killarney Cummins.
Limit dogs—First, Paul Peipers, Royal Dan; second, Flora Cummings, Killarney Cummins.
Open dogs—First, Paul Peipers, Royal Dan; second, Flora Cummings, Killarney Cummins.
Winner dogs—First, Paul Peipers, Royal Dan.
Reserve—Mrs. Paul Hutchinson, Flagiaas.
Puppy bitches—First, Theodore Phelps, Nance O'Neil.
Novice bitches—First, H. Varley, Lismore Belle.
Limit bitches—First, H. Varley, Lismore Belle.
Open bitches—First, C. O. McDowell, Queen Mac.
Winners—C. O. McDowell, Queen Mac.
Reserve—H. Varley, Lismore Belle.

GORDON SETTERS.

Open bitches—First, R. D. Bayly, Lady Jennie.

IRISH WATER SPANIELS.

Third, Charles Logenschnieder, Chocolate Belle.

COCKER SPANIELS (Black.)

Puppy dogs—First, William L. Tyler, Oak Glen Darky; second, L. C. Carr, Nigger.
Novice dogs—First, Grace W. Bates, Rex Ray.
Limit dogs—First, Roland Gamwell, Duke Royal; second, Edwin Ralph, Count Echo.
Open dogs—First, R. Gamwell, Duke Royal; second, Grace W. Bates, Rey Ray; third, Edwin Ralph, Count Echo.
Reserve—M. A. Stavens, Duke.
Winners—First, R. Gamwell, Duke Royal.
Reserve—Grace W. Bates, Ray.
Puppy bitches—First, C. Dalgreen, Trixie.
Novice bitches—First, Mrs. L. Tyler, Oak Glen Chloe; second, Charles P. Schreiner, Gamma.
Limit bitches—First, Charles P. Schreiner, Gamma.
Open bitches—First, Charles P. Schreiner, Gamma; second, C. Dalgreen, Trixie.
Winners—First, Mrs. L. Tyler, Oak Glen Chloe.
Reserve—Charles P. Schreiner, Gamma.

COCKER SPANIELS—PARTI-COLOR.

Puppy dogs—First, Charles P. Schreiner, Echo Chubb.
Novice dogs—First, Charles P. Schreiner, Nairod Tyke.
Limit dogs—First, Charles P. Schreiner, Nairod Tyke.
Open dogs—First, Portland Kid; second, Mrs. C. W. Sharples, Budd Junto.
Winners—First, Portland Cocker Kennels, Portland Kid.
Reserve—Mrs. C. W. Sharples, Budd Junto.
Cocker Spaniels—Parti color, open bitches—First, Mrs. C. W. Sharples, Waltern.

RED COCKERS.

Puppy dogs—First, Fred G. Gillespie; Hamilton Carnival.
Novice dogs—First, Mrs. J. V. Litting, Red Furd Cavalier; second, John Bradbury, obo; third, Mrs. L. Tyler, oak Glens Rufus.
Limit dogs—First, Mrs. J. V. Littig, Red Furd; second, John Bradbury, obo.
Open dogs—First, Mrs. J. V. Littig, Red Furd; second, John Bradbury, obo.
Winners—First, Mrs. J. V. Littig, Red Furd Cavalier.
Reserve—John Bradbury, obo.
Novice bitches—First, Charles P. Schreiner, Echo Floss; second, T. H. Broadhead, Red Satin; third, Mrs. L. Tyler, oak Glen Ruby.
Open bitches—First, Portland Cocker Kennels, Portland Twinkle.
Winners—First, Portland Cocker Kennels, Portland Twinkle.
Reserve—Charles P. Schreiner, Echo Floss.

COLLIES—S. & W.

Puppy dogs—First, Mrs. C. W. Manwaring, Donald Ellyn; second, William Kennedy, Mac Bon.
Novice dogs—First, Mrs. M. J. Stewart, Tinto; second, William Kennedy, Sir J. D. Bruce; third, Dr. G. A. Scroggs, Boy.
Reserve—Dr. W. Hitt, Dr. Don.
Limit dogs—First, Arthur Letts, Ravenswood; second, Mrs. M. J. Stewart, Tinto; third, Dr. Hitt, Dr. Don.
Open dog—First, Arthur Letts, Ravenswood; second, Mrs. M. J. Stewart, Tinto; third, Dr. G. A. Scroggs, Boy.
Reserve—Dr. W. Hitt, Dr. Don.
Winners—First, Arthur Letts, Ravenswood.
Reserve—Mrs. M. J. Stewart, Tinto.
Puppy bitches—First, Mrs. John A. McDonald, Countess Mono III.
Novice bitches—First, James Adams, Lady May III; second, Charles P. Schreiner, Countess Mono; third, Stella Kennedy, Lady Peggie.
Reserve—Mrs. C. L. Douglass, Mona.
Limit bitches—First, Mrs. J. Adams, Lady May III; second, Arthur Letts, California Ivy; third, Mrs. T. Douglass, Mona.
Open bitches—First, Mrs. J. Adams, Lady May III, second, Arthur Letts, California Ivy.
Winners—First, Mrs. J. Adams, Lady May III.
Reserve—Arthur Letts, California Ivy.

COLLIES—TRI-COLOR.

Puppy dogs—First, Mrs. A. J. Albee, Brookmere Charlie.
Novice dogs—First, Mrs. O. J. Albee, Brookmere Charlie; second, Miss Martha White, Cheviot Chieftain.
Winners, dogs—First, Mrs. O. J. Albee, Brookmere Charlie.
Reserve—Miss Martha White, Cheviot Chieftain.
Puppy bitches—First, O. J. Albee, Astrologer Live Oak; second, Charles P. Schreiner, Echo Dollie; third, Echo Kennels, Scottish Maid.
Novice bitches—First, Echo Kennels, Echo Dollie.
Limit bitches—First, Echo Kennels, Mt. Pico Maid.
Winners—First, O. J. Albee, Astrologer Twinkle.
Reserve—Echo Kennels, Echo Dollie.

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Special Party to St. Louis.

A special Pullman car party will leave Los Angeles, Wednesday, May 11, and go through to St. Louis without change. An unusually interesting schedule has been arranged, including San Francisco. See G. F. Herr, D. P. A. U. P. R. R. Co., 250 South Spring street, for reservations.

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MOST OF WINNERS WERE WELL PLAYED.

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Most of the winners at Oakland today were well played, three of them being favorites. Fine weather favored the sport, and the attendance was large. The feature was the six-furlongs event. Olympian opened an 8-to-5 favorite, but receded to 3 to 1, while Mimo had the call at post time. Olympian broke first, and never headed, won ridden out from Mimo. Yellowstone, a 20-to-1 shot, was third. Lady Kent broke with her field, but McBride pulled her up, and he was suspended for the remainder of the meeting. Summary:

Furturity course, selling: Clausus, 110 (Vickery,) 4 to 1, won; Step Around, 102 (J. Jones,) 7 to 1, second; Murat, 102 (Holbrook,) 10 to 1, third; time 1:11⅘. Amasa, Toto Gratiot, The Pride, Pope Leo, Modder, Solinus, Geisha Girl and Rosebud finished as named.

Four furlongs, purse: David Boland, 105 (Read,) 11 to 2, won; Edgecliff 105, (J. T. Sheehan,) 7 to 1, second; Hooligan, 105 (T. Butler,) 12 to 1, third; time 0:49. Alone, Rubiana, Dresden, Only Jimmie, Gallant Cassie, Heredia, Iron King, Lucrece and Grenade finished as named.

Mile, selling: Chileno, 97 (Crosswaite) 11 to 10, won; Designed, 99 (McBride,) 9 to 1, second; Dolle H., 92 (Herbert,) 15 to 1, third; time 1:42 1-4. Keogh, Logano, Vigoroso, Dr. Birdsall, Pachuca, The Stewardness, H. H. Cane, Lecturer and Cracko finished as named.

Mile and a hundred yards, selling: Northwest, 94 (McBride) 11 to 5, won; Searcher, 109 (T. Clark,) 15 to 1, second; Past Master, 104 (Herbert,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:47. Isabellita, Mr. Dungiex, Nuliah, L.O.U., Anvil, Tonopah, Moakta and Dorice finished as named.

Six furlongs, selling: Olmpian, 105 (J. T. Sheehan,) 3 to 1, won; Mimo, 102 (Crosswaite,) 2 to 1, second; Yellowstone, 110 (P. Kelly,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:14 1-4. St. Winifride, Romaine, Tom Slavain, J.T.S. and Agnes Mack finished as named. Lady Kent was left.

Mile, selling: Handpress, 112 (J. Jones,) 3 to 2, won; Kitty Kelly, 107 (J. T. Sheehan,) 3 to 1, second; Chickadee, 107 (Crosswaite,) 13 to 1, third; time 1:41⅘. Mocorito, Possast, Conger, Goldfinder and Dandie Belle finished as named.

BACK FROM WASHINGTON.

John G. Mott Returns from National Capital.

Did Good Work There for Free Postoffice Site.

Building Now Assured—Some Political Observations.

John G. Mott, Esq., returned from Washington, D. C., yesterday, whither he went in the latter part of March to offer to the government a free site for a public building in Los Angeles, on behalf of public-spirited citizens and business men, who want to see the proposed building located at the right place—the junction of Main, Spring and Temple streets, the present site of the old Downey Block.

Mr. Mott left Los Angeles March 23, and arrived at the national capital at a time when there seemed to be no hope of securing any legislation on the subject of public buildings at the last session of Congress. His arrival with the free-site offer, however, had the effect of stimulating the California representatives in Congress to renewed efforts to secure the enactment of a measure before the close of the session, that would enable the Treasury Department at an early date to proceed with the construction of a building commensurate with the growing needs of Los Angeles.

It was no easy task to get the machinery in motion that would cause "Uncle Joe" Cannon, Speaker of the House, to unbend in his resolve not

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Mrs. Mills to Speak.

Mrs. B. Fay Mills will deliver an address at the meeting of the Fellowship at Unity Church this evening.

Tester Fracture.

Rebecca Shehan, a girl of 9 years of age, fell from a teetering board at her father's residence, No. 1622 St. John street, last evening, and sustained a fracture of the left arm. She was treated at the Receiving Hospital.

Dental Commencement.

Dr. Frank Bristol of Washington, D. C., one of the visiting Methodists, will deliver an address at the commencement of the dental college of the University of Southern California, at the Simpson Auditorium on the 12th inst.

Sparking Damage.

Sparks from a stove caused a fire at the residence of C. Kendall, No. 416 East Ninth street yesterday afternoon. The building was owned by the Whiting Wrecking Company, and was damaged to the extent of $600. An equal amount of damage resulted to the furniture.

Students' Reception.

Invitations have been issued by the Los Angeles College of Fine Arts for the third annual students' reception, to be given at the college at Garvanza Thursday afternoon and evening, May 12. At 8:30 p.m. the students will present a programme and playette. The exhibition of students' work will be open to the public on afternoons from May 12 to 20.

Knights Templar Election.

At a meeting of Los Angeles Commandery, No. 9, K. T., last evening, the following officers were elected: John Kingsley, Commander; Frank M. Parker, Generalissimo; Perry W. Weidner, Captain General; John P. Hughes, Senior Warden; William P. Jeffries, Junior Warden; Walter C. Durgin, Treasurer; William B. Scarborough, Recorder.

Pico Heights Republicans.

A meeting of the McKinley and Roosevelt Republican Club of Pico Heights will be held at the residence of S. P. Rhoades, treasurer of the club, at No. 2318 Sepulveda street this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock p.m., to elect delegates to the Sacramento convention of the State League of Republican Clubs and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

BREVITIES.

We offer this week the best A1 crystal reading lenses in ten year, gold-filled frames, at $1.50; same as other dealers are selling for $2.50 and $4. Eyes tested free by two State registered opticians. Prescription work a specialty. Clark's Jewelry and Optical Store, 351 S. Spring.

Ladies are delighted with the exclusive designs in hats, no two of which are alike, now on sale at extraordinary low prices, at the Adele Retiring Millinery Sale, 318 S. Broadway. Entire stock will be sold.

Mr. T. D. Coghlan, who was for several years with Mullen & Bluett Cln. Co., has accepted a position with Joe Poheim, the tailor, where he would be pleased to meet his old friends and customers.

For knobby walking hats ready trimmed or built to your order, at very reasonable prices, and ladies' hats of every description, see Mrs. J. P. White, 707 S. Broadway.

The Hotel Rosslyn Café, 433 S. Main St., will serve fine dinner today 5 to 8 p.m. for 50c; short orders all day. Hart Bros., proprietors.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Wilmot H. Garlick, aged 61, a native of Ohio, and Mary B. McIntyre, aged 35, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Addie W. Lyon, aged 31, a native of California and resident of Los Angeles, and Edith L. Stevens, aged 23, a native of Canada and resident of New Westminster, Canada.

Edward A. Burnett, aged 30, a native of Michigan and resident of Charlevoux, Mich., and Mabelle F. Smith, aged 21, a native of Illinois and resident of Pasadena.

Isaac T. Alcatraz, aged 26, a native of Mexico and resident of Los Angeles, and Augustina Herrera, aged 18, a native of Mexico and resident of Pasadena.

Olof P. Hagbend, aged 30, a native of Sweden, and Hannah A. Person, aged 37, a native of Sweden; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles H. Bakman, aged 28, a native of Ohio and resident of Toluca, and Mollie Schisel, aged 20, a native of Ohio and resident of Los Angeles.

Felipe Estrada, aged 35, a native of California, and Cleopas Samaniego, aged 28, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Myron R. Badgley, aged 22, a native of Ohio and resident of Los Angeles, and Amelia W. Hasert, aged 23, a native of eGrmany and resident of Wauseon, O.

BIRTH RECORD.

ALDEN—In Corona, May 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Alden, a son.

HOWLAND—To the wife of F. T. Howland, No. 223 Hobart boulevard, a son.

DEATH RECORD.

CHAPIN—May 2, in Avalon, Catalina, John A. Chapin, beloved husband of Mary C. Chapin and father of Mrs. W. L. H. Geldert, aged 54 years 8 months. Funeral will be held from the chapel of Baxter Samson Co., No. 132 South Pioneer street, Friday, May 6, at 10 a.m., services under the auspices of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Pacific Lodge, No. 71. (San Francisco papers please copy.)

AMOS—In this city, May 3, 1904, Jacob Amos, a native of Germany, aged 54 years. Funeral from his late residence, 221 Leroy street, Saturday, May 7, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

CONNELLY—In California Hospital, May 3, 1904, Ellen K. Connelly of Santa Monica; mother of John T. and Jerome F. Connelly, aged 70 years. Funeral Saturday, May 7, at 10 a.m., at Catholic Church, Santa Monica, Cal.

BROWNING—In Redondo, May 3, 1904, Mrs. Mattie Browning, wife of Rev. W. J. Browning. Funeral Congregational Church, Redondo, Friday, May 6, 2 p.m. Interment Redondo Cemetery.

TOPE—At Imperial, Cal., May 4, 1904, W. A. Tope. Funeral from Peck & Chase Co.'s undertaking parlors, 433 South Hill street, May 6, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

MORE—In Los Angeles, Cal., May 4, 1904, Mrs. Lucena H. More, aged 53 years. Funeral at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Goodwin, No. 1311 East Twenty-seventh street, Saturday, at 10 a.m. Interment Rosedale.

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SNEAK SHADOWS ELLERY AND COMES TO GRIEF.

Probable Assault on Band Proprietor by Mysterious Stranger Frustrated and a Gun and Cigar Much in Evidence at the Finish—What Did He Want?

Probable assault mysteriously attempted, but coolly withstood and finally baffled by the cleverness of two Italian musicians, is part of the adventure that befell Channing Ellery, proprietor of the Royal Italian Band, early yesterday morning.

Ellery was shadowed on Hill street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, about 1:30 o'clock a.m. He was returning home from a serenade which he had been attending with a few of his "boys," and had left the group to go to his lodgings. The peculiar phase of the affair is that it was very evidently not the culmination of an attempted hold-up, but seems to have been in the planning for some time, and appears the work of enemies of the band. Mr. Ellery believes jealousy is at the bottom. He avers that from other organizations in various parts of the country irresponsible individuals have come seeking to make him trouble. His engagement at the St. Louis Exposition was made after bitter opposition on the part of rivals. As Ellery stepped into the shadow yesterday morning, a man, who had been crouching in a darkened doorway, began to follow him, rapidly and softly. If Ellery walked fast the individual walked a little faster; if Ellery walked slow, the strange sleuth lagged accordingly. Finally Ellery stopped abruptly in the rapid walk, and wheeled sharply around. The pursuing one, taken by surprise, was completely revealed under the glare of an electric lamp, and had nothing to do but walk by, which he did.

Going Back, Ellery told Curti and Decimo. Armed, the trio took the trail, and, from the doorway of the Broxburn they dragged the prostrate figure of Incognito, who evidently lay there waiting for the manager's return, after the excitement had subsided.

Although he was a well-built fellow, Curti jerked him up to his full length and slapped him forcibly against the side of the house. At this instant the man reached quickly around to his hip pocket, but before he could draw his gun he discovered himself looking into the leveled muzzle of another weapon.

"I'm here first, signor," said the taciturn baritone soloist, quietly.

Now Decimo had not had an inning. Accordingly, he drew from his pocket another cigar, carefully lighted it, nursed the match to a bright blaze, and then threw the hot little torch full into the sullen face staring down the shining barrel of Curti's gun. There were sputtered oaths, and a quick start, as the flash scorched the man's flesh. That was all, though; Curti had not gone to sleep.

In response to Ellery's questioning, the unknown admitted he had been shadowing him for a long time, but refused to say for what purpose.

He promised to make this his last attempt, and begged piteously to be let off. It was late; there were none in sight to witness the grim little frontier play done by artistic hands, and accordingly Curti turned the man sharply around and ordered him in no uncertain terms to "git."

With a sour smile on his face, but carefully brushing the dust from his stylish clothes, the strange individual disappeared among the shadows of Central Park.

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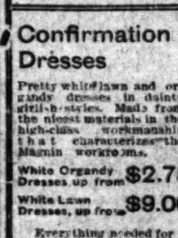

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THE "Saddlebag Sanhedrin," as the eloquent Dr. McIntyre characterized the General Conference in his poem of welcome, is in full swing. Yesterday was a very busy day with its two sessions—aptly termed a "double-header," probably to remind belated delegates also of their experience in crossing the great American continent.

The overshadowing event in the eye of the general public was the dignified, able and comprehensive Episcopal Address, but to the delegates themselves the most significant work of the day was the organizing of the fourteen standing committees early in the forenoon. These are the storm centers of legislative action, and their sessions rival in interest the conference itself. At an early hour delegates were scurrying around in hot haste to find the place of meeting. They seemed to be unfamiliar with such suggestive street names as Olive and Flower, and as many of them belonged to two committees that met to organize in quick succession, they were amazed at the magnificent distance covered in Los Angeles by three or four blocks. All this nerve waste will be saved hereafter, for beginning with today the committees will meet in regular order, seven a day, and the locations will be well-known to our guests.

A bishop was assigned to each committee to preside over its organization. Nominations were made quickly for chairmanships, as various groups of men and various sections of the church had quite fully determined beforehand whom they would support. In The Times yesterday was accurately forecasted the election of Dr. J. M. Buckley to the chairmanship of the Committee on Episcopacy; Dr. J. F. Goucher, to the chairmanship of the Committee on Missions; Dr. James M. King to the chairmanship of the Committee on the State of the Church; Dr. Matt S. Hughes, to the chairmanship of the Committee on Epworth League; Dr. Alpha G. Kynett to the chairmanship of the Committee on Church Extension, and Dr. W. R. Anderson, to the chairmanship of the Committee on Freedman's Aid Society. These are all very popular elections and the men are worthy of the high honor. Drs. Buckley, Goucher and King have long been leaders in the church. Dr. Kynett's father was for a quarter of a century the secretary of the Board of Church Extension. The present chairmanship is a very delicate tribute to a worthy son. Drs. Hughes and Anderson are both young pastors winning their spurs in their first appearance on the floor of a General Conference.

WILL SHELLS BURST?

None of these men had hard fighting to win their vantage ground, except Dr. Hughes. He had a strong rival in the person of Dr. E. A. Schell of Indiana, former secretary of the Epworth League, and a young man of the best parts and wide repute. The vote stood 40 to 35. Dr. Schell had misfortunes in office that forced his retirement. One of those who most bitterly attacked him was Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, editor of Zion's Herald. Against him and the Wesleyan Association of Boston that owns the Herald Dr. Schell brought suit for libel, and secured recently a verdict that awarded him damages of more than $20,000. This has put new life in what was called at the last General Conference the "Schell Controversy." Many anticipate that some "shells" will burst in a few days at the feet of some men who are now mentioned for prominent positions. Others claim the recent verdict was not so much a vindication of Dr. Schell as it was a condemnation of Dr. Parkhurst's imprudent language, and that yesterday's victory of Dr. Hughes is a note of warning to Dr. Schell's friends that they must not seek to revive the old controversy and project it into the elections of this conference. Will the ghost disappear is a question much discussed in the lobbies of the hotels.

HOT BOOK CAMPAIGN.

The opening gun was fired in the hot campaign that will determine whether the Book Concern will remain divided in two sections or be unified in its manufacturing department and in consequence be reorganized in its merchandise department. The Episcopal Address made no recommendation, but was content with detailing the history of the movement that led up to the majority and minority reports that will be submitted at this session. But the Committee on the Book Concern had consolidation in mind when seeking to effect an organization in the First Methodist Church. The consolidationists won in this preliminary skirmish with remarkable ease. Their candidates, both for chairmanship and secretaryship, were elected. Rev. Dr. Bashford, president of Ohio Wesleyan University, and one of the most prominent candidates for the Episcopacy, was made chairman. A clear thinker, an unusually effective speaker, a man of the most genial disposition, and a presiding officer of experience, he is just the man for guiding and controlling the stormy debates that are sure to come.

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J. A. Patten of Chattanooga was elected secretary. He is one of the best-known laymen of the South. Prominent and prosperous in business, he devoted his energies and means to a campaign for freeing every church in the Holston Conference from debt and succeeded. No other conference can make the boast. He further established himself in the good will of his section by seeing to it that all the salaries were paid in full to the various pastors. Still a young man and full of zeal in every good work he is sure to prove a man of large influence in this and succeeding conferences.

COLOR IN EVIDENCE.

The colored men were in evidence. Dr. J. W. E. Bowen, the colored candidate for bishop, was elected secretary of the Committee on Episcopacy; R. S. Lovingood secretary of the Freedman's Aid Committee, and Irvine G. Penn secretary of the Epworth League Committee. At the last General Conference Dr. Bowen stood second of all the candidates voted for as the first bishop and is now believed to be a sure winner of Episcopal honors. He is one of the finest scholars in the church, an eloquent preacher, and a man of great dignity and executive ability. Mr. Penn is the secretary of the Colored Epworth Leagues, and Dr. Lovingood is president of a Freedman's Aid school. They are among the young and aggressive leaders of seventy-nine colored delegates.

One of the twenty-five women delegates was in evidence at the organization of the Epworth League Committee. She practically told the brethren to "shut up" or "ring off" by moving the previous question when she thought they were too wordy and prosy. If this precedent is followed and the sister from Mexico undertakes to restrict Dr. Buckley and the sister from India gives a firm hint to Dr. Leonard that "silence is golden" many predict that the session of the conference would be shortened ten days. But would Los Angeles be content and the visitors? Nay, for the chief attraction this year is the arena of debate which these mighty gladiators have just entered, and our citizens expect it to be as spectacular as the usual Fiesta.

OF DEEPEST INTEREST.

To the delegates in general the feature of most absorbing interest since the opening of the conference seemed to be the paragraph in the Episcopal address relating to amusements. The recommendation was the surprise of the hour. Breathless attention was given to every word. It seemed to be the most vital of all the questions treated. Since 1872 there has been ceaseless agitation in the church, and a warm debate will surely be heard at this session. The query went up on all sides as to whether the bishops intended that the new paragraph they recommended should take the place of the famous paragraph 248 or be additional thereto. Nearly all the delegates interviewed interpreted the bishops' words as indicating their desire for the removal of the objectionable paragraph and incomplete paragraph and their conviction that the attitude of the church should be advisory rather than mandatory. In the new paragraph they name theater-going, dancing and playing at games of chance, but close it with the original broad-minded rule that Mr. Wesley laid down that forbade "taking diversions that cannot be taken in the name of the Lord Jesus" and left the interpretation to the individual conscience. The sentiment of the conference seems to favor this return to early Methodist usage and this modern demand of liberal-minded yet fervent Methodists.

TODAY'S PROGRAMME.

COMMITTEES—SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

Today the time of the Conference will be largely consumed in receiving petitions from annual conferences, quarterly conferences and individual churches and members and the referring of them to the proper committees. They will be watched closely as indicating the sentiment of the church on the various questions now in debate. There will be an unusually large number presented and some may cause debate. Often there is a wrangle as to what committee shall be assigned some special memorial that brings to the floor the foremost speakers. The roll of the conference will be called and each delegation given an opportunity of presenting the petitions which its constitutents have entrusted to its care.

The Sunday-school anniversary will be held in the pavilion tonight at 7:30. Short addresses covering the Sunday-school and tract operations of the denomination will be made. Among the speakers will be Dr. Thomas B. Neely, secretary of the Sunday-school Union and editor of the school publications of the church, who is one of the most popular men in the conference. Other speakers will be Dr. O. S. Baketel of New England, Dr. CC. C. Jacobs of South Carolina, Dr. A. P. George of Missouri and Dr. R. E. Jones of Louisiana.

The music will be by the choir of Vincent Methodist Church, and the meeting will be one of much interest, particularly to those engaged in Sunday-school work. The whole house will be open to the public with the exception of the private boxes.

The pentecostal meeting will be held at 4 o'clock in Temple Baptist Church, led by one of the bishops.

Bishop Foss Reading the Annual Address—"A Citizen Indifferent is a Sentinel Asleep."

EPISCOPAL ADDRESS HEWS TO THE LINE.

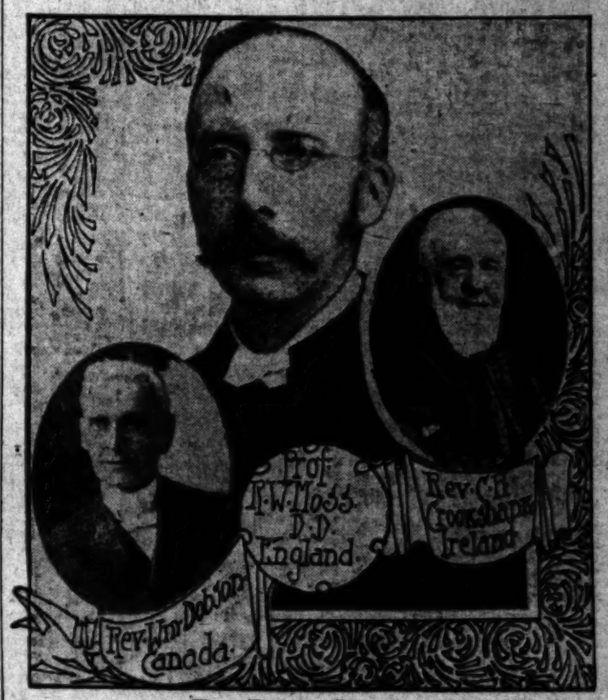
THERE was no uncertain sound in the ringing sentences of the Episcopal address, read yesterday at the morning session of the General Conference in Hazard's Pavilion, Bishop Warren presiding.

This address is the formal expression of the Episcopacy and touches upon questions of vital interest to the church and to society. That read yesterday by Bishop Foss is perhaps the strongest ever brought before the church. It treated of growth in numbers and influence, of material things and their like in a general way, but under the head of "Some of the Evils of the Day" there were severe arraignments of society and parishioners, yes, and of the pulpit.

The bishops hold that the "manifest destiny" of our singularly favored country has been a snare. Resting in the thought that we have reached the final form of government, we have gloried in a material prosperity altogether without precedent, and in our exultation overlooked the multiplying political, social, moral and religious problems, all fraught with imminent peril.

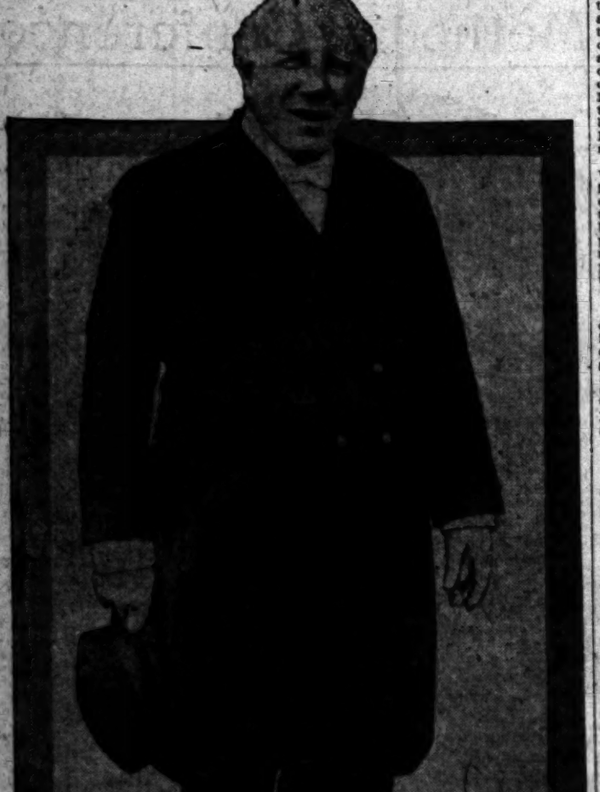
The sharp and permanent war between employers and employed, breaking out with alarming frequency into law-defying collisions, was fully exploited and altruistic and Christian remedies suggested.

Other subjects treated by the bishops were crimes of violence, the pitiable condition of the negro, the evils of intemperance, the frequency of divorce, political corruption and the passion for



Three Fraternal Delegates.

"Preach the Word" and Not Doubts About the Word, Urges the Bisho



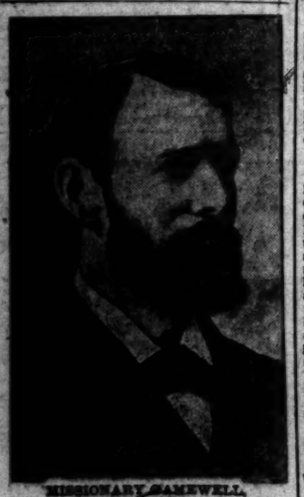
DR. D. S. MONROE,
For Twenty-eight Years Secretary of General Conference.

popular amusements. In regard to this question the bishops put themselves squarely on record and suggested the adoption of a definite provision safeguarding the [illegible] at this point, and looking toward the enforcement of the law of the church. The full text follows:

THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

Surely no assembly on earth ever had more positive need of wisdom from on high. You are met holding in your trembling hands the highest legislative, judicial, and administrative powers of the most numerous body of Protestant Christians in this country—a country charged with responsibilities for the world's well-being second to those of no other. You are to perform acts which must be largely influential in the Church and upon the world, not only during the quadrennium until another General Conference shall meet; your decisions must determine policies which will reach forward into coming decades and centuries. Who is "sufficient for these things?" No one, apart from Him in whom "are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge." To Him let all your hearts continually ascend in pleading, believing prayer, for such intellectual enlightenment and spiritual discernment as shall fit you for the high and solemn duties before you. We invoke the providential care of our heavenly Father upon you all; as to your health, churches, families, and business interests; praying that neither death, sickness, nor worldly anxiety may disturb your thoughts or mar your work. Most of all we beseech Almighty God to bestow such pentecostal gifts of the Spirit that this entire General Conference may be raised into, and maintained in, so high a state of absolute consecration as shall expel all unworthy motives, lead to the wise discharge of every duty, and largely and permanently promote the interests of the kingdom of God among men.

The place of our meeting is rich in suggestion—the Pacific Coast, concerning which Daniel Webster said in the United States Senate just sixty years ago, in opposing a bill to establish a mail service between Missouri and the Pacific, "What do we want with this vast worthless area? What can we ever hope to do with a coast of three thousand miles, rockbound, cheerless and uninviting, without a harbor on it? I will never vote one cent from the public treasury to place



MISSIONARY GAMEWELL,
The Hero of Peking.

the Pacific Coast one mile nearer Boston than it is today." And now cast your glance from Seattle all the way down past the Golden Gate and the City of the Angels to San Diego—and what do you behold!

IN MEMORIAM.

During the quadrennium the Church has been called to mourn the loss of more of her Bishops than in any similar period preceding; five men, five kinds of men, alike in little else except rare ability and steadfast devotion each to his own work; illustrating thus the great variety of gifts, and temperaments which the Lord of the harvest can use for His sowing, tilling, and reaping. Their names shall stand in the order of their departure—Parker, Taylor, Hinde, Foster, Hurst.

Parker, stalwart, resourceful, tireless, a great missionary, fell under the torrid sky of India, to whose salvation he had been devoted for forty-one years.

Taylor, a world-famous evangelist and strenuous advocate of self-supporting missions, was halted in his swift career a few years before his final summons, which reached him near the scenes of his early triumphs as a street preacher.

Hinde, serene, cultured, saintly, had just returned from a tour of Conferences in the South, hastened forth from his home on an errand of sympathy, came in exhausted; and during the following night he felt the thrill of the eternal sunburst.

Foster, stately, learned, the soul of honor, superbly eloquent; Hurst, scholarly, many-sided, a prodigy of industry and persistency; they were successively presidents of Drew Seminary, were among the ablest and most voluminous authors of Methodism, and departed this life within thirty-six hours of each other, while their colleagues were assembled in their annual meeting.

Three other general officers of the Church have been removed from their earthly labors: Arthur Edwards, the veteran editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate, whose facile and vigorous pen had long done efficient service for the Church and for humanity; William A. Spencer, corresponding secretary, and Manley E. Hard, first assistant corresponding secretary, of the Board of Church Extension, both of whom were conspicuous for their able and tireless advocacy of the great cause they specially represented, and also for their intelligent and quenchless evangelistic zeal.

One other name must have mention here—Stephen L. Baldwin, the indefatigable and invaluable recording secretary of the Missionary Society. In addition to these, thirty ministerial and lay delegates to the last General Conference have passed to their eternal reward. You will doubtless arrange for suitable memorial services.

NUMERICAL GROWTH.

The quadrennium has been marked by steady and healthful, but not rapid increase in the number of communicants. The present total is 3,031,918, an increase of 138,025, which is 4 76-100 per cent., as against an increase of 4 per cent. during the quadrennium ending in 1900. The percentages of increase have varied considerably and unaccountably. For the last six quadrenniums, beginning twenty years ago, they have been respectively 7½, 4, 12, 20, 16, 4, and 4¾. In order to ascertain the actual increase in accessions to the Church we must add to the net increase the number who have died, 154,882, making a total actual increase of 292,907; which is more than 10 per cent. The increase in the number of Sunday-school officers, teachers, and scholars has been 119,075, and the present total is 3,124,644. These figures suggest vast responsibilities, met very imperfectly, but we may well thank God and take courage.

EPISCOPAL VISITATIONS.

Your General Superintendents have presided over all the sessions of the one hundred and thirty-nine Annual Conferences, Mission Conferences, and Missions in the United States. During the quadrennium we have made about sixty thousand ministerial appointments. The number of churches which have seriously objected to the pastors assigned them, and of the ministers who have declined their appointments, has been insignificant. In this respect, as well as others, our itinerancy has proved itself a marvelously efficient system of ministerial supply, and is the wonder and admiration of many of the leaders of other churches which have thousands of vacant pulpits and thousands of unemployed preachers.

The wide expansion of our work abroad has demanded large increase of Episcopal supervision in the foreign mission fields, and such supervision has been conducted under the regulations adopted by successive General Conferences. During the quadrennium Bishop Vincent has had general supervision in Europe, and Bishop Moore in Eastern Asia. Both of them visited this country, as will be more fully stated later. Bishop Hamilton has had supervision for two years, and Bishops Cranston and FitzGerald each for one year, in Mexico. Bishops McCabe and Joyce each two years in South America. During Bishop Vincent's presence in this country, Bishop McCabe held seven conferences in Europe in the year 1902. In 1903 and 1904 Bishop Warren visited India, Malaysia, and the Philippines, in conjoint superintendency with the missionary bishops.

In our address to the last General Conference we said: "Though one or more of the General Superintendents was ready to visit Africa during the quadrennium, the condition of the work on that continent did not seem at this time to require or to justify such a visit. Believing that the Church would approve this conclusion this field has been left under the exclusive jurisdiction of Bishop Hartzell."

We then fully anticipated such a visitation during the quadrennium now closing, and early gave it consideration. In due time Bishop Walden was assigned to this duty. His labors for the freedmen for many years and his careful and protracted study of Africa as a mission field gave him special qualifications for the visitation required. When the bishops met in May, 1903, it was found impracticable for him to make this visitation. Thereupon the bishops, after careful inquiry into Bishop Hartzell's work and plans, made record of the following minute:

"The bishops hoped that Bishop Walden would be able to make a visitation of our work in Africa during the coming summer and winter. But as this has proved to be impracticable the bishops do not think it advisable or practicable, in view of the requirements of the home work, to make other provision at this time for such visitation."

THREE NOTABLE EVENTS.

Three notable events, or rather series of events, have awakened the highest interest among our people during the quadrennium and have also aroused the greatest public attention and the most favorable comment in the religious and the secular press of the country: The Twentieth Century Thank Offering Movement, the Missionary Revival, and the Wesley Bicentennial.

TWENTIETH CENTURY THANK OFFERING MOVEMENT.

It is hardly surprising that the General Conference of 1896, meeting so long before the close of the nineteenth century, made no arrangement for special observances to signalize the opening of the new century; but in 1898 the bishops concluded that no recognition of that event, commensurate with its solemnity and importance, could possibly be arranged for in the few months of the century which would remain after the meeting of the General Conference of 1900; and, therefore, felt themselves under obligation, as "General Superintendents of the Church," to make timely arrangements for such celebration.

It seemed to them that the Church must be profoundly moved, not only by the transition of the world from one century to another, itself a most solemn and august event, but far more by the consideration of the measureless mercies of the old century and the stupendous responsibilities of the new one—motives appealing irresistibly to the sentiments of gratitude and of duty. They, therefore, proposed a plan as vast and far-reaching that it was at first received with startled surprise but presently with enthusiasm and heroic cooperation. They called for thank offerings to aggregate $20,000,000, one-half for our educational institutions and one-half for church debts and institutions of philanthropy and charity.

The bishops also put forth their best efforts by pastoral letters, personal addresses, and in sundry other ways to arouse the Church to renewed and more intense spiritual activity, looking toward a speedy and general revival of the genuine Wesleyan type of personal religious experience, and the conversion of a multitude of souls. To promote these ends they appointed a commission of ministers and laymen, including three of their own number, to take charge of both these branches of the one great movement. This commission took the work in hand with studious diligence and high enthusiasm. They elected the Rev. E. M. Mills, D.D., as corresponding secretary and devised most thorough plans for utilizing the press, the pulpit, and the platform, for arousing the annual, district, and quarterly Conferences, and for enlisting the presiding elders, pastors, and people to appreciate and utilize the splendid opportunity and inspiring motives for the worthy out-march of the largest branch of American Methodism into the white harvest fields of the new century.

The results of this careful, concerted, strenuous endeavor, continued through three years, are known to the Church. On the financial side they surpassed the expectation of all but the most sanguine. Nearly $22,000,000 was raised for the objects specified, and no doubt a permanent stimulus was given to the beneficent spirit of the Church. Many churches were relieved of the incubus of debt; the resources of most of our colleges and schools were substantially, and in some cases very largely, augmented; our institutions of philanthropy and charity were generously remembered; and in many conferences the permanent funds for conference claimants were materially increased.

Meanwhile there were gracious revivals and numerous conversions in many parts of the country.

THE MISSIONARY REVIVAL.

There has, however, been a missionary revival, probably resulting in part from the Thank Offering Movement, which is full of promise at once for more rapid evangelization in the heathen world and for beneficent reaction on the home Church. For several years the increase in the missionary collections though constant and often large, had been insufficient to enable us to give due heed to open doors and beckoning angels and the clarion calls of Providence. Moreover, under the requirement of the General Conference that the appropriations of any year should not exceed the actual receipts of the year preceding, it even became imperative, because of the constant growth of the work, to cut the appropriations for most of the fields 8 per cent. This most painful experience moved the General Committee in 1901 to provide for an "Open Door Emergency Commission" which instituted a new campaign, sent out field secretaries, widely distributed the freshest missionary literature, and arranged for a very large delegated convention in Cleveland in October, 1902. That convention has become nobly historic as a season of unprecedented pentecostal uplift and of the consecration of money to the highest uses. Its four days' exercises thrilled the thousands present with intense interest and deep conviction, and its influence will be widely multiplied in the many-sided and inspiring volume which gives a full report of its proceedings. In one solemn and memorable hour pledges and offerings, to be in every case distinctly additional to the usual contributions of individuals and churches, were laid upon God's altar to the amount of $302,000, which was very soon after increased to $340,000.

The missionary revival, of which this convention was both the fruit and the promoter, augmented the regular missionary collections for the year by $111,000. This increase transformed the too frequent misereres of the General Missionary Committee into jubilates, and made possible such an increase of appropriations as sent a thrill of gratitude and joy to the heart of every missionary of our church in every land.

The Cleveland Convention has been succeeded by other similar conventions in many places, designed to continue and intensify the missionary appeal throughout the whole Church—one for seventeen conferences in the East, held in Philadelphia, with much larger attendance than in Cleveland; others were held in Iowa, Illinois, California, and elsewhere. The burden of the appeal in all these is suggested by the title of the Commission, "The Open Door Emergency Commission." The Church has been led, as never before, to realize that God has thrown the doors of the world wide open to the gospel, and that the preparation of the heathen lands, containing about one-half the population of the globe, to receive the gospel, now constitutes an

Model of Hindoo House (Zenana) from India in Missionary Exhibit.

emergency which the Church cannot, without guilt, hesitate to meet.

THE WESLEY BICENTENNIAL.

One of the most interesting and, as it may prove to be, one of the most important events of the quadrennium was the celebration of the bicentennial anniversary of the birth of John Wesley. It is a very striking fact that, when God is ready to give some great and important truth new and larger currency in the world, He is wont to accomplish this end by hiding that truth in the capacious soul of some divinely endowed and chosen man, and setting it on fire there by the Holy Spirit. Some truths clearly stated on the pages of the Bible have got very little hold upon the thought and heart of the world until they have received this special divine treatment. We have long believed, and of late the Christian world has come to believe, that God raised up John Wesley for such a special purpose; and that the truth which He wished through him to make more effective in the world was the great and vital truth of personal religious experience, witnessed to the individual by the Holy Ghost sent down from heaven. It would be too much to say that God has provided for a new gospel, and yet, in an important sense, there was thus put into the world a new appreciation of the gospel, which has swiftly overrun the Christian world, and profoundly affected the thinking of multiplied millions of men concerning personal religious experience.

Wesley's experience of religion was largely affected, indeed almost wholly determined, by his childhood training and by the providential course of special training through which God led him from the age of twenty to thirty-five. During these fifteen years he was a servant of God, as faithful and strenuous as he ever afterward became, or as could be found on the face of the earth. At the end of that time, by the leadings of the Holy Spirit, especially through the teachings of Peter Boehler, he became consciously a son of God and his heart was "strangely warmed." That day Methodism was born. With this training behind him, molding all his thoughts on the subject of personal religion, and being intensely Arminian in his theological belief, the only salvation it was possible for him to preach, and which everywhere made Methodism a transforming power, was: 1. Salvation for all men; 2. Salvation now; 3. Salvation by faith only; 4. Salvation directly witnessed by the Holy Spirit; 5. Salvation restlessly hungering for new converts, and claiming the world as its parish; 6. Salvation going on to perfect cleansing and perfect love.

It was Wesley's high office to translate the gospel into the vernacular of each individual sinner, and to put it into the present tense, first person, and singular number.

The moral, social, and national effect of Wesley's preaching have long since had ample recognition on the pages of secular historians, such as Lecky and Green, who declare that the Methodist movement averted from England the horrors of a reign of terror such as deluged infidel France with its noblest blood.

A careful study of Wesley's unique and many-sided life has led to numerous non-Methodist testimonies like these: Augustine Birrell says that Wesley's life was "the most amazing record of human exertion ever penned or endured," and adds: "No other man did such a life's work for England." An eminent Congregationalist thus writes: "He is, I think, the finest illustration of consecrated, unselfish, whole-hearted devotion for fifty years of this Old World's dark history that the Church of Christ has ever offered to the vision of man." And Dean Stanley says, "Methodism has transformed the religious thinking of the Protestant English-speaking world." Sober estimates akin to these have recently found full utterance through the religious and secular press, and in public meetings surpassing in number and interest any ever before held in commemoration of any man two hundred years after his birth.

One of the earliest of these great celebrations, held in the metropolis of the country, was very fitly and forcibly addressed by the President of the United States. Many similar meetings have been attended by eager and enthusiastic thousands, and many others in smaller communities by no less eager and enthusiastic hundreds. It was a happy feature of these memorable celebrations that joint meetings were held in several States, in which Bishops and other ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church and of the Methodist Episcopal Church South united in honoring Wesley and his work. It is worthy of especial note that the "Fellow of Oxford University" who founded Methodism has been most elaborately commemorated and eulogized by our universities, colleges and schools; the oldest of our universities, which bears his name, having devoted three days to such a commemoration.

The three signal events thus rapidly outlined—the Twentieth Century Thank Offering Movement, the Missionary Revival, and the Wesley Bicentennial—have elevated Methodism in the generous appreciation of other churches and of the general public; and have also, no doubt, contributed to the reasonable self-respect of Methodists themselves. Indeed, the Wesley Bicentennial could not fail to give many Methodists a new and juster sense of our noble origin, inspiring traditions, simple and scriptural doctrinal system, admirable ecclesiastical organization, singularly efficient evangelizing methods, and, in a word, of the marked adaptation of Methodism to the work of saving men, if only it shall be evermore filled with the spirit which kept John Wesley in a glow of evangelistic zeal till the age of eighty-eight. God forbid that such considerations of our noble heritage should anywhere kindle among us a spirit of arrant boasting. God grant that we may be awed, humbled, and mightily inspired by an abiding sense of the tremendous responsibility which confronts us to make the best possible use of the ten talents of our magnificent inheritance.

That inheritance includes a unique and immense influence beyond our own denominational pale. Outside Methodism has always been greater than inside Methodism. The historian of the English people, J. R. Green, says: "Methodists themselves were the least result of the Methodist revival;" and Dean Stanley declares Methodism to be "the chief reviver of religious fervor in all Protestant churches, both of the Old and New World." We need not, therefore, be surprised or discomforted if some of our preachers and people go from us to the communion of other churches. Many such have carried contagious zeal where it was greatly needed; and not a few of the foremost leaders of religious thought and activity in other denominations gratefully acknowledge that they were converted at Methodist altars.

THE OLD PATHS.

In view of the signal honor which God has thus put upon Methodism, both within and beyond its own borders, and of the close and manifestly casual relation between the life and experience of Wesley and such unparalleled successes, it behooves us to "stand in the way and see and ask for the old paths," so that we may hand on to coming ages unimpaired and augmented the marvelous heritage we have received; for, beyond all question, John Wesley must have ascertained and built upon fundamental and imperishable truths, else the world would never have heard of Methodism. Among those truths which he lifted out of the dust of ages were at least these: the deep guilt of sin; the equal redemption of all men by the vicarious atonement; the absolute freedom of the human will; the entire practicability of salvation now for any sinner; the attainability of perfect cleansing and perfect love in this life; the infinite and impartial love of the seeking Father-God; the real and complete humanity and the proper and absolute deity of Jesus Christ; the personality and omnipresence of the Holy Ghost as a transforming and witnessing Spirit; and the nearness of a real and eternal heaven and a real and eternal hell. No doubt the vast mass of the Methodists in all lands can sincerely say of these truths, so vital to Methodism and to any real progress of Christianity, "All these things I steadfastly believe."

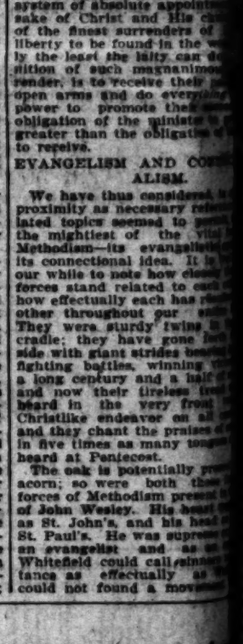
Methodism has always been strenuously insistent as to doctrines essential to Christianity and exceedingly tolerant as to non-essentials. We encourage the utmost freedom of inquiry, if it be devout toward God and reverent toward the Supernatural Book. We welcome the careful statement of the certainly ascertained results of such inquiry, being confident that truth can never be in real conflict with truth. But we deeply deplore the hasty, callow, dogmatic declarations of destructive critics which have rudely jostled the faith of many believers in that one book "in which we find the only infallible rule of faith and practice." We rejoice in the multiplying evidences that scientific and philosophic skepticism is waning, that the great thinkers are turning toward the cross, and that the one rightful King of the world is more and more lifted up and is drawing all men unto Him. Let us be patient. The enemies and the unwise friends of Christianity in the long run "can do nothing against the truth but for the truth." Meanwhile let all who preach "preach the word," and not their doubts about the word. Let them treat the Bible as trustfully as their Lord did. In the terrible ordeal of His temptation in the wilderness He used no weapon which does not fit any human hand. Keeping His eye on His great enemy, He thrust His hand back into the armory of the Old Testament, and drew from the sheath of Deuteronomy three shining blades, before whose points Satan fled.

OUR CONNECTIONAL SYSTEM.

Methodism was established, and has made its unexampled progress as a unique connectional system. The primary and chief force in this system has always been an appointed itinerant ministry. Mr. Wesley did not wait to be sent for, and his successors have followed his example. From the beginning they have gone forth under the pressure and inspiration of the irrepressible marching order of the risen and just ascending Lord to His itinerant apostolate: "Go ye!" Mr. Wesley sent his laborers where he thought wise; and in providing for the autonomy of American Methodism he set apart a General Superintendent to exercise similar authority. So now your twenty-one Bishops annually fix the appointments of about fifteen thousand preachers, being responsible to the General Conference for the wisest and most careful and brotherly exercise of such a solemn, delicate, and supremely difficult prerogative. This method of absolute ministerial appointments has always been held so fundamental and vital to the success of Methodism that its ministers are called upon, when ordained, to take a solemn vow of submission to it; and provision is made that any failure to do the work assigned may be punished as a distinct immorality, just as a soldier may be punished for similar failure in military duty.

Our connectional spirit finds further illustration in, and is largely promoted by, our publishing houses and benevolent societies and by the labors of their editors, secretaries, and other agents.

The benefits resulting from this connectional system are manifest and very great. Every church member is a constituent part, not merely of a local society, but of the entire Methodist Episcopal Church; he is one not of a few scores, but of three millions, and he has the absolute right of immediate recognition as a member of any one of our twenty-eight thousand churches, in any land where he may take up his residence and present his letter. Every minister is a member not merely of an annual conference, but of the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He is one of some seventeen thousand ministers, and may be made pastor of a church in any one of our conferences, without his request or vote. He has potential rights everywhere; and transfers are often made for sanitary or other important reasons, greatly to the advantage of the ministers and of the churches. From these general arrangements the individual churches realize vast benefits;



DR. W. F. ANDERSON,
Chairman of Freedman's Aid and Southern Education Society.

BISHOP JOHN M. WALDEN,
Who Presided Over the Afternoon Session of Conference

Burning Questions of the Age Treated from the Church's Viewpoint.

could do, and did do, both most marvelously; and a still greater marvel is that this original marvel has never been wanting to Methodism in any country. Methodism has always heard the three voices, "Go, preach—Go, teach—Go, disciple." The mighty evangelist has been quickly followed by the teacher and the organizer; nay, has often been the same person. The immense result is that, widely as Methodism has spread under all skies, and closely as it has come into contact with all misbeliefs, it has always and everywhere been propelled by an intense and pervasive evangelistic spirit, and has garnered its harvests by organizations which have developed themselves out of the connectional idea born of that inspiring watchword, "I regard the whole world as my parish."

After all that may thus be truly said concerning the survival and general prevalence of the evangelistic spirit among us, it must be frankly admitted that sweeping revivals in which scores or hundreds of adults are converted in a few weeks or days are far less frequent than they were a hundred or fifty years ago, especially in the older regions of the country. Adult converts cannot be depended on as the chief source of increase of membership; indeed, the startling fact confronts us that, unless the sanctified common sense of the church can devise newer and more efficient evangelistic methods, or unless unprecedented fullnesses of the Holy Spirit are poured forth, the great mass of unevangelized adults who have reached middle life are likely to die unconverted.

We therefore hail with delight the systematic efforts which have in the recent years been made in this country and in Great Britain, in our own and in other churches, to reach the unchurched masses. Especially do we note the intense enthusiasm, the large contributions, and the gratifying success of our revered and beloved mother church in this work in London, Birmingham, Manchester and elsewhere; and also the thoroughly organized efforts of the Presbyterian Church in this country on different lines for the same great purpose. It is highly gratifying to observe that laymen are so deeply interested in the movements, and in some cases are the leaders and chief supporters of them. Surely American Methodism, which owes its existence and unparalleled growth chiefly to the evangelistic spirit, cannot in this great endeavor afford to stand second to any other branch of the church.

AUXILIARY AGENCIES.

The usual Quadrennial Handbook lays before you full official representations of the work and financial condition of the benevolent societies and other organizations of the Church; and we need not here repeat any of its summaries in those reports. The missionary collections generally have been largely increased, but still fall far short of what might reasonably be expected from a constituency so numerous during a period of such unexampled business prosperity and rapid increase of wealth.

There are manifest reasons for which some of our auxiliary agencies should have special attention, even though it must be quite too brief in view of the importance of their work.

Our Publishing Houses have done for the Church and for the world a quiet, unobtainable, but not fully estimated service. Their work has been in vast, and their accumulated capital is now so large, that they constitute one of the greatest publishing establishments under a single management anywhere in the world. Their issues of books, and perhaps even more of periodical literature, have been immensely valuable in molding religious and Methodistic thought and life. The profits for the last four years have been $838,492, and the earnings for 1903 $238,492. The elaborate plans which will be laid before you by the Book Committee proposing the consolidation of the manufacturing departments and the centralization of the management of the book concerns, changes which will be far-reaching, and which involve matters of largest importance, will, we trust, receive your early, patient, and thorough consideration.

The Board of Church Extension has had no occasion to fill vacancies in its secretarial force during the quadrennial. The vacancy caused by the death of its corresponding secretary, the Rev. William Spencer, D. D., in September, 1901, was filled by the Bishops in December, 1901, by the election of the Rev. James M. King, D. D., who had been first assistant corresponding secretary; and the Rev. Manley S. Hard, who was elected to fill this new vacancy. When Dr. Hard was removed by death, in February, 1903, the Bishops appointed to fill the place the Rev. Robert Forsythe, D.D.

In November, 1902, the General Committee elected two additional assistant corresponding secretaries, nominated by the Bishops, namely, the Rev. Thomas Neely, D.D., and the Rev. William Burt, D. D.; and in November, 1903, they were reelected for a second year. The Sunday-Schools.—The chief hope of the Church and of the world's evangelization is in the children. Their dedication to God by pious parents in their infancy and even before their birth. The training of myriads of them, born in Christian homes, by the Sunday-school, with the preoccupation of their earliest thoughts with verses of scripture and sacred hymns; their early conversion and wise instruction in sensible piety, so that "as plants grow up in their youth" they may naturally into full membership in the Church—this is the vastest, richest field of labor to which the Church is called, and the harvests are ever ripe for the sickle. But the Sunday-school has a wider scope; its work is not confined to children. It is the fit and ideal training-school for young and old adults in Biblical knowledge and Christian doctrine and practice.

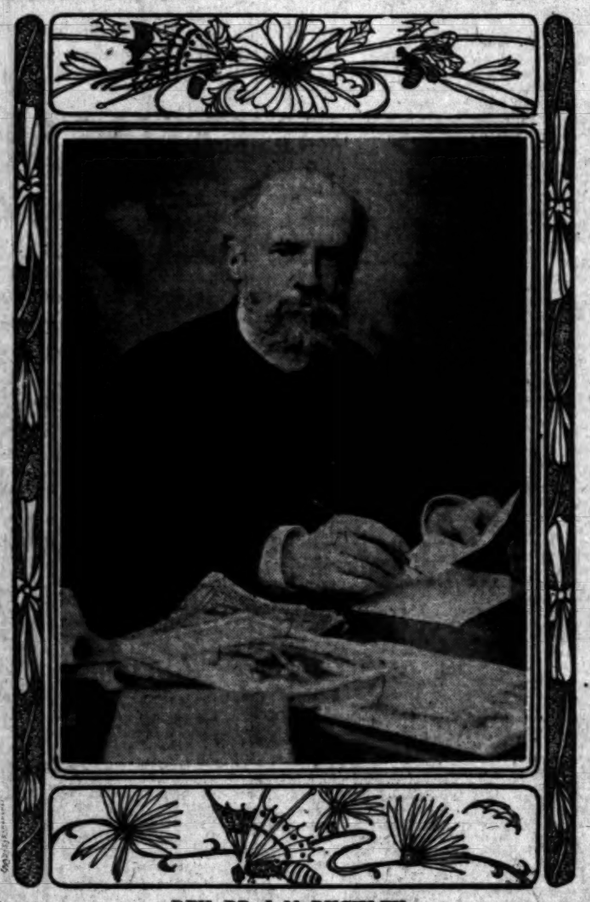
Epworth League.—Closely allied with the Sunday-school is the Epworth League, which enrolls a large number of Sunday-school teachers and scholars and many other young men and women, which leads them on into personal religious life and activity, and was organized in 1889 by the union of the young people's societies, and so within 15 years old, this society now includes the junior leagues, at present 4,000 in number.

There can be no doubt that the Epworth League has not only kindled a warm and devout religious life in hundreds of thousands of young people, but has also in many places quickened the pulse of evangelistic effort, the achievement and of contributions to our great benevolent collections. This feature must depend on its fidelity to the great purposes announced by the General Conference in 1892, namely, "promoting intellectual piety among the young people of our churches and congregations, and training them in works of mercy and help."

The League has some function of entertainment and of innocent amusement, but it should never be allowed to degenerate into a mere social committee on amusement; and in every place furnish intellectual treats by suitable literary exercises, but its great office is always and everywhere to be a positive spiritual and religious force.

The Epworth League should be such as to bring the League into constant and hearty cooperation with the pastor, the class leaders and other officers of the church; and in no case should it displace the League meetings from the minds of the members in relation to the regular morning and evening preaching services, nor to the regular mid-week prayer meeting which summons and needs the cooperation of the entire membership of the church. If the Epworth League ever more rallies round the cross, and points young people to the Savior, it will live and grow.

The Brotherhoods of the Church have had their origin in the conviction that multitudes of men have become neglecters of the church, and have to some extent been neglected by the Church. In many congregations there are twice as many women as men. Is the preaching, and are the services of the Church generally, thoroughly adapted to interest active young business and professional men, commercial travelers, and wage-earners? Are they present in the Church in reasonable numbers? Many think not, and believe that the pulpit should sound a more virile note and seek out live topics closer to men's "business and bosoms," and that social religious services should somehow be made more attractive to busy men, crowded by severe competition and assailed by seductive temptations.



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Such questions as the following will call for your careful consideration: Is it desirable that the chapters of the various Brotherhoods of the Church should be multiplied as rapidly as possible in the local churches? If the work of the Brotherhoods is to be extended, should not the General Conference provide for a union so that there will be only one form of this activity in the church?

Our Schools and Colleges deserve a work placed in the heart of the Church. Their contribution to its intellectual and spiritual life and to the welfare of the country are of incomparable value.

Under the influence of the University Senate their courses of instruction have been enlarged and improved in fair proportion to the general elevation of educational standards in recent years. It is therefore the more important that the religious teaching in them should conform to the doctrines, spirit and moral precepts of the Church.

It is matter for high congratulation that so many of our colleges were greatly aided by the stimulus of the Twentieth Century Thank Offering Movement. Burdensome debts were discharged, new buildings erected, equipments improved, and endowments largely increased. We highly appreciate the public school system of the country, and think it indispensable to good citizenship; but there is also pressing need for schools and colleges permeated by the religious spirit.

There seems to be special occasion to mention two of our institutions which have been named in our addresses to several preceding General Conferences.

The American University.—In 1892 the General Conference declared its appreciation of the general plans of the American University, as an institution to have "for its sole aim post-graduate and professional study and research," with the express proviso "that the endowment of the institution be not less than $5,000,000, over and above its present real estate, before any department of the university shall be opened." In view of the importance of this enterprise we recommend that the General Conference again indorse the appeal of the university, for the purposes and with the conditions above recited.

The Woman's College of Baltimore is unique among our colleges as an institution in our Church for women only, which furnishes advantages fully equal to those of the foremost colleges of the country. Its attendance is large, its equipment excellent, and its students have come from thirty-nine States and Territories and four foreign countries, including 101 students from west of the Mississippi River and 286 from west of the Allegheny Mountains.

It therefore has a just claim on the good will, patronage, and generous financial aid of the Church at large. That claim has received startling emphasis from the recent conflagration in Baltimore, by which the resources of resident trustees and patrons of the college were seriously affected. The college most urgently needs half a million dollars to discharge its debt and meet its present emergencies. We are sure you will urge its appeal on the whole Church.

Women's Missionary Societies.—The Church can hardly hold in too grateful appreciation the strong, self-denying, wisely-managed, ever-growing work of the Woman's Foreign and the Woman's Home Missionary Societies. We have spoken of a great missionary revival. These societies seem to be in continual revival, or at least to be constantly growing in grace. Their collections have steadily and largely increased. From time to time they have taken up new forms of activity, and have carried them forward with such intelligent and sustained devotion as to command the highest approbation. The annual receipts of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society are very near half a million of dollars, and its appropriations for India exceed those of the parent society. The Woman's Home Missionary Society sends good cheer to many a needy itinerant's home on the frontier, is doing invaluable work for the colored people in the South, and is largely promoting the deaconess work.

The Deaconess Work has grown considerably in some parts of the country, and has shown its possibilities of much wider usefulness in various lines of religious activity. We have 96 deaconess institutions, valued at $2,936,450; 707 licensed deaconesses and 561 on probation, who, within a single year have nursed 22,455 sick persons, and have made 331,361 calls in the prosecution of their various kinds of work.

The existing legislation concerning the deaconess work has proved in some respects unsatisfactory. The Bishops, as the General Deaconess Board, therefore called a considerable number of prominent representatives of the various branches of the work to confer with a committee of their own number. All points of special interest and difficulty were thoroughly considered; agreement was reached concerning sundry matters relating to uniformity of methods and harmony of administration; and a committee was appointed to propose such changes in the Discipline as seem desirable for simplicity, ease, and efficiency in administration. That report was carefully considered by the Board of Bishops in special session as the General Deaconess Board, and is hereby recommended to the consideration of the General Conference. We are convinced that many churches may be very efficiently served by competent deaconesses; but they should serve in all such cases as aids of the pastors and never as substitutes in the pastoral work. City missions especially need such service as they can render; and we cannot doubt that the minds, hearts, and hands of thousands of consecrated Christian women await the clear call of the Church for such self-denying service.

City evangelization is commanding increasing attention, and is carried on with constantly augmenting intelligence, vigor, and success. In securing these results the City Evangelization Union has been an important factor. The Missionary Society, which has long been making annual appropriations for work among foreign populations of particular nationalities, has for three years past made steadily increasing general appropriations for work under the care of City Missionary Societies. This new departure has greatly encouraged such societies, and has helped to fasten the attention of the Church at large on the frightful moral plague spots in large cities, and on the grave perils of a heterogeneous immigration which, in 1903, landed on our shores almost one million persons of alien birth and spirit—many of them paupers, criminals, socialists, or anarchists.

In September, 1901, the third Ecumenical Methodist Conference was held in Wesley's Chapel, London. It was largely attended by delegates selected from all branches of the Methodist family throughout the world, and its discussions were of very great interest. The tragic death of President Garfield during the first Ecumenical Conference twenty years before, and the still more tragic death of President McKinley during the conference of 1901, startled the entire civilized world, and melted into deeper unity the hearts of all English-speaking people.

The American Bible Society continues to be an indispensable auxiliary to our evangelistic work. With the beneficent operations of this society in our own country our people are already familiar, but only those who have given the subject special attention can appreciate the invaluable aid rendered by the American Bible Society in our foreign mission fields. The missionary treasuries of the Protestant churches are saved great sums of money by the generous cooperation of this society in assuming the important tack of translating, publishing and circulating the Scriptures in the many languages of the millions of heathen peoples among whom missionary operations are being carried forward. It is because of the incalculable value of this noble undertaking on the part of the Bible Society that we the more regret the reported insufficiency of its revenues, and we earnestly advise our pastors and people to continue to foster this great benevolence as one of the most useful and deserving of the several interests that especially appeal to our church.

GENERAL POLICIES.

The Revised Constitution.—The last General Conference sent down to the annual conferences a revised form of constitution, recommended by a vote of more than two-thirds of its clerical and also of its lay delegates. The vote of the ministers of the annual conferences on this constitution stood: For, 8241; against, 2525; thus showing more than the requisite majority of three-fourths of the ministers present and voting. As instructed by the General Conference, the Bishops therefore proclaimed the new constitution to be adopted and in force throughout the Church. We congratulate you on this result, especially for these three reasons: 1. Because it definitely and forever settles all questions as to what parts of the Discipline are included in the Constitution of the Church; 2. Because of the reasonably elastic and yet safely conservative process of amendment provided, which requires, in order to any change of the Constitution, two-thirds votes of the General Conference, of the ministers of the Annual Conferences present and voting, and of the members of the Lay Electoral Conferences present and voting; and, 3. Because of the fact that the agitating question of the eligibility of women to the General Conference has been settled forever by a strictly constitutional procedure, so that there can be no shadow of a stain on the escutcheon of women delegates.

The new constitution fails to indicate the special methods by which delegates to the Lay Electoral Conference should be elected, leaving that matter to be determined by the General Conference. Your Bishops, therefore, being charged "to oversee the spiritual and temporal business of our Church," judged it to be their duty to recommend a method for such election, which they did, by advising that each quarterly conference should fix the charge for such election, and should also appoint judges for the election.

This method was almost universally followed, without objection or question. In some cases, on large circuits, the elections were made by very few persons, representing only a part of the congregations. You will, of course, provide for future use the regulations on this subject called for by the constitution.

Consolidation of Benevolent Societies.—One of the most important questions which the action of the last General Conference will bring before you relates to the proposed consolidation and reorganization of the benevolent societies of the Church.

In 1884 the General Conference ordered a commission to consider this subject and report to the General Conference of 1888. That commission, after very thorough study of the subject, proposed an elaborate scheme of reorganization as being the best it could suggest, but which it did not recommend for adoption. Under its instructions it did not feel at liberty to publish that scheme in advance of the meeting of the General Conference. After considerable debate the General Conference failed to adopt the report of the commission, and no further formal action was taken on this subject until twelve years later.

Meanwhile the reasons for further consideration, and if possible for action, with regard to this matter, have steadily increased. They relate chiefly to the growing sentiment that we have too many benevolent collections. In spite of the repeated resolutions of General Conferences and of the several Boards and General Committees representing the benevolent societies, calling for separate collections for each of the benevolences of the Church, the "omnibus" plan has become more and more general in many parts of the country. This plan, when intelligently worked by diligent pastors, it must be admitted, has resulted in many cases in maintaining and even sometimes in augmenting the benevolent collections; but it is well-nigh fatal to such full annual presentation of facts and motives as constitute the best basis for intelligent and growing benevolence.

Moreover, many thoughtful friends of missions, at home and abroad, have long felt that the twofold majestic summons of God and His Church for the conversion of America and of the whole world shall be laid on the heart and conscience of the Church in separate appeals for Home Missions and for Foreign Missions.

Moved chiefly, as we suppose, by such considerations, the General Conference of 1900 provided for a commission, to be appointed by the Bishops and to include three of their own number, to give further and fuller consideration to this entire subject, and to publish to the Church any plan it might devise at least a year before the meeting of this General Conference. With these instructions the commission held two meetings, each covering several days, besides arranging for thorough consideration of all the topics involved by sub-committees, and published in the Church papers the result of its deliberation in April, 1903. The plan it will lay before you provides for the reorganization of all our present benevolent activities under the supervision of three great societies, their collections to be taken in three separate quarters of the year, thus leaving one-quarter for due attention to the collection for conference claimants and for other collections.

We are confident that this report will receive your early and thorough consideration.

Commission on Federation.—The General Conference of 1896 ordered a commission on federation with other Methodist Churches, especially with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. The report of that commission to the last General Conference was not brought forward for final action until the last hour of the session, when it could not be fully considered, and one of its chief recommendations was not adopted.

These matters were satisfactorily explained to the Commission of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at a joint meeting of the two commissions, and highly fraternal and harmonious action was taken, which will be duly reported to you by our branch of the Commission. We especially rejoice in the arrangements, made under the full authority of the General Conferences of the two churches interested, for a common Hymnal, a common Catechism, and a common Order of Public Worship; in the consolidation of the Methodist Publishing Houses in China; and in the cordial spirit of Methodist federation which is working toward practical results in Japan and Mexico. We hope that you will ratify the recommendation of our branch of the joint Commission by adopting the resolution it will lay before you, the same presented to the last General Conference, concerning practical federation where the two churches are working in the same territory. We also think steps might be wisely taken toward a more facile interchange of ministers and members, and to promote other measures of practical fraternity between the two chief branches of American Episcopal Methodism, in the spirit of the prayer of the great Intercessor, "That they all may be one."

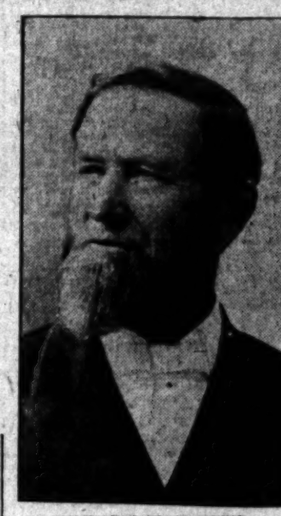
Episcopal Supervision in Foreign Lands.—Episcopal supervision in our foreign missions has been maintained under the laws of the Church in various ways: by General Superintendents, by Missionary Bishops, and once in each quadrennium by General Superintendents conjointly with Missionary Bishops. The last General Conference also made a new departure by fixing episcopal residences in Europe and in Eastern Asia, assigning a bishop to each and requesting that he should have supervision of the vast fields designated during the quadrennium. Bishops Vincent and Moore, who were thus assigned, and also the Missionary Bishops, will present their reports when you shall be pleased to call for them.

After Bishops Vincent and Moore had been for two full years engaged in thorough investigation and administration in their foreign fields, the Board of Bishops thought it well for them to visit this country, both for the information and inspiration of the Church. During the home visits thus initiated, Bishop Vincent presided over six conferences, and effectively presented to many assemblies our Missionary interests in Europe; Bishop Moore electrified scores of audiences by his description of the Boxer uprising in China, and his appeals to the Church to embrace the magnificent and measureless opportunities for speedy evangelizing successes in China, Japan and Korea; and both contributed to the General Missionary Committee a wealth of information which greatly aided in the administration of the missionary gifts of the Church. In the meantime Bishop McCabe was assigned to the presidency of the Conferences and missions in Europe and on his way home from South America performed this service. The very rapid development of our work in Southern Asia led the last General Conference to provide three Missionary Bishops for joint administration in those vast fields. Bishop Thoburn's state of health made it inexpedient, however, for him to return to India for two years; and Bishop Parker had hardly taken up his work when he was entirely disabled by severe illness, which terminated after a few months in his death. So it came to pass that almost the entire work of supervision in India fell upon the newly-elected Bishop Warne for two years. In the latter half of the quadrennium Bishop Thoburn twice visited India. Bishop Warren also made the quadrennial joint visitation provided for in the Discipline, and we are pleased to be able to say that no emergency arose requiring any other visit from a General Superintendent.

In view of the new departure in Europe and in Eastern Asia, and of the increased number of Missionary Bishops in Southern Asia, you are prepared to consider with fuller information and intelligence than any previous General Conference could command the entire question of episcopal supervision in foreign lands, and it is urgently necessary that you should do so. In heathen lands all the trumpets of Providence summon us to a charge all along the line. Our riches are our greatest embarrassment. We must advance or be verily guilty of our brother's blood. The question therefore of Episcopal supervision in heathen and other mission fields has become one of the highest importance, presenting momentous and complicated problems the solution of which must determine policies for ages to come—policies affecting the welfare of the Church both at home and abroad. We solicit your fullest and freest consideration and determination of the subject thus presented.

Having thus presented to you our work in superintending our annual conference and missions at home and abroad, we think it wise to refer to a single subject touching the relations of the bishops to the General Conference itself. That subject is the right of any bishop to be heard before the General Conference and also before any of its committees, when complaint is made against his character or administration. In all secular tribunals such rights are sacredly guarded, and any person against whom complaint is made is freely accorded the opportunity of appearance and response in person or by counsel, before judgment is rendered. We are confident that the General Conference will never fail to recognize this fundamental principle of Anglo-Saxon fairness and justice, which obtains in all the tribunals of the Church constituted by the General Conference itself.

The Abolition of the Time Circuit—Rarely has legislation by the General Conference led to more general and earnest discussion throughout the Church than did the action in 1900 removing the time limit of the pastorate. Opinions in regard to the matter have been freely expressed and have widely differed. Some have heartily approved and others have quite as heartily disapproved. Resolutions and memorials in many different forms have been adopted by various organizations and societies, as well as by quarterly, district and annual conferences. Many of these have come to the bishops, and, doubtless, many others will come to you—some setting forth the advantages resulting from the enactment; some pleading for the retention of the present law and others asking variously for a restoration of either the three or five-year limit, either with or without provision for exceptionally emergent cases.



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Upon all these will be bestowed the most thoughtful attention that you may be able to give. The subject is one of deep interest and importance to both the ministry and membership of the Church. In the treatment of it you will, we trust, be so guided that you may be brought to a conclusion that will most certainly and largely promote the efficiency of the ministry and the highest good of the people.

New Legislation.—There is manifest need for a restatement of the duties of a presiding elder "in the absence of a bishop." Misunderstanding of this regulation has often led to serious embarrassments. This phrase, "in the absence of a bishop" was placed in the discipline in 1792, when there was but one bishop in the country. There were no railroads or telegraphs, and the postal facilities were very infrequent and unreliable. It would often have required many weeks for a presiding elder to consult the bishop in person or even by letter. We recommend that the paragraph on this subject be revised so as to fit existing conditions.

The transfer of preachers is attended with increasing embarrassment. Some churches have for many years insisted in charge as to their practicability or fitness, thus sometimes almost compelling unwise appointments and the undue crowding of conferences. Ministers desiring transfers to conferences whose sessions are many months distant object to the supernumerary relation, and urgently request nominal appointments. We recommend that the General Conference pass a resolution discouraging any transfers for which negotiations are begun without previous consultation with the bishop in charge of the church desiring such transfer, and permitting the transfer of supernumerary preachers for immediate appointment.

Holding that the employment of an effective member of an annual conference as a supply within the bounds of another annual conference to be wholly illegal, we ask the General Conference to make a deliverance on the subject.

In view of the importance of having office-bearers in the Church who are religiously and Methodistically intelligent, we recommend that Paragraph 96 of the discipline be so changed that the quarterly conference shall not be at liberty to elect or approve for membership therein any steward, class leader, trustee, Sunday-school superintendent, or Epworth League president who is not a subscriber to some one of our weekly church papers.

The provision made for conference claimants is distressingly and discreditably inadequate. The annual collections, supplemented by the book concern dividends and by the interest on invested funds, afford but a meager pittance. By all means let permanent funds be secured as rapidly as possible; but what shall be done to relieve the pinching penury of thousands of weary pilgrims now? We recommend that the General Conference so amend the Discipline as to instruct every Annual Conference to make a careful estimate of the amount necessary to aid in the support of its conference claimants, that the presiding elders be instructed to apportion the sum so fixed to the several districts and charges, and that the amount so apportioned to each pastoral charge be a pro rata claim with that of the pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.

We call attention to the fact that in such matters as the removal of names from church records, the admission of members into the church, the manner of administering the sacraments and the order of public worship, the will of official boards is held by some to be superior to the authority of the General Conference. We ask that a fresh declaration be made of the supreme authority of the General Conference in such matters.

SOME OF THE EVILS AND PERILS OF OUR AGE.

From such a rapid general survey of the progressive development of the chief agencies of the Church's activity, and of its administrative policies, we must turn for at least a glance at some of the evils and perils of our age, which demand instant attention and heart-searching questionings as to how the Church can meet and master them.

The "manifest destiny" of our singularly favored country has been a snare to us. We have carelessly taken for granted that this nation has reached the final form of "government of the people, for the people, by the people," to which all nations must at length come. We have gloried in a material prosperity altogether without precedent elsewhere on the globe, a prosperity which millions of immigrants from many lands have hastened to share. Meanwhile our political, social, moral, and religious problems have multiplied, and some of them have reached acute stages fraught with imminent perils. It is by no means certain that universal suffrage controlled by demagogues may not bring frightful distress to our great cities, and even shake the very pillars of the republic.

The sharp and permanent war between employers and employed, breaking out with alarming frequency into law-defying collisions, demands altruistic and Christian mediation. Some of the vast combinations of capital have been shown to be conscienceless and gigantic swindles, swiftly and enormously enriching a few of their promoters, and shamefully robbing the unsuspecting public. On the other hand, some of the constitutional provisions of labor organizations have been despotic, and the methods used to enforce them have been totally subversive of individual rights.

Crimes of violence, such as burglary, highway robbery, rape, and murder, have increased alarmingly. The frequency of lynching has startled and horrified not only ourselves, but still more the comparatively law-abiding countries in Europe; and the blood of many an innocent victim of mob frenzy, hurled out of the world with fiendish cruelty, cries to heaven for vengeance.

The pitiable condition of the negro race demands special consideration in the North and South alike, not alone for the sake of that race, but for the sake of the republic. The nation's neediest wards, now numbering nine millions, during one o fthe most difficult transitions ever thrust upon any race of men, have been most blunderingly and unjustly treated, and are in sore need of statesmanlike and Christian guidance.

The omnipresent and horrible evils of intemperance still confront us, and that many-headed hydra of the world still awaits its Hercules.

The growing facility and frequency of divorce is a serious menace to the purity of the family relationship and a flagrant defiance of the law of God. No doubt this evil is largely promoted by the fabulous growth of luxury, especially in large cities, and by the too prevalent style of living in caravansaries, in a perpetual blaze of publicity and fever of excitement, which render impossible that delightful domestic privacy made possible only by a home worth the name.

The passion for popular amusements is a serious dilution of the spiritual life of the Church, a destroyer of those bright evenings at home in which parents, children, and near friends found such innocent recreation and intellectual inspiration a generation ago, and a ruinous snare to the morals of many generous youth.

Mormonism, Romanism, and sundry other isms of evil omen push on their work and gain numerous adherents.

Other evils and perils confront us, but these are among the chief. We must consider, as briefly as we may, our duties concerning them.

Political Corruption.—One of the alarming evils of the time is the general neglect of the duties of good citizenship. Under a despot there may be public order and beneficent progress with scant interest of the people generally in the affairs of the government; but in a republic there must be a certain grade of popular intelligence and virtue in order to public welfare, and even to the stability of the government itself. The founders of Massachusetts had a sermon preached every year on the day of the annual election, by a preacher appointed by the Governor, thus testifying their profound belief that political righteousness must have its foundations in religious conviction. What a contrast with our times, in which shameless political corruption is our national reproach! Bribery, vote-buying, the venal granting of enormous franchises in wanton disregard of the interests of the people and in total defiance of public opinion, the frightful travesty of good government in most large cities, the brazen dictation of party bosses, so that the average citizen has not the slightest influence in determining what candidates he shall be permitted to vote for—these flagrant wrongs have become so familiar that the great mass of the best citizens are hopeless of breaking their yoke, and wear it like "dumb, driven cattle."

It is encouraging, however, to observe that evils so widespread and defiant do not stalk abroad unrebuked. The prevailing political profligacy has "burned into the conscience of the churches a conviction of the moral dangers threatening the national life," and many ecclesiastical assemblies have recorded their censure and abhorrence. Civic clubs, municipal leagues, and societies for good government, thus reenforced, have overthrown corrupt city governments for a time; but multitudes of upright citizens are so shackled by political partisanship that the old evils soon return. The root of the whole evil is "love of money," and the Church has urgent need to "cry aloud and spare not," fearlessly exposing and sturdily rebuking all immorality in politics, and censelessly proclaiming that a "man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth." A citizen indifferent is a sentinel asleep.

Employers and Employed.—Assuredly one of the burning questions of today is the relation of employer and employed. It may smolder here or there for a time, but somewhere it breaks forth in volcanic eruption every month, and now and then it shakes the whole social fabric like an earthquake. The marvelous multiplication of labor-saving machinery, and the vast aggregations of capital until many thousands of men are employed by a single firm, have rendered impossible that old-time personal interest and sympathy which existed when the employer knew each of his workmen and met his apprentices daily at his own table. Great labor organizations have become universal, and are offset by vast trusts wielding hundreds of millions of capital. The workers with brain and the workers with hands are often found in hostile camps, between which sharp collisions are alarmingly frequent and disastrous. Strikes break forth, causing the loss of millions of money on both sides, and attended by lockouts, boycotts, intimidation, arson, riot and assassination. Often the general public is a greater sufferer than either of the organizations directly concerned. The police are overpowered, the military are called forth, and for months there is a virtual state of war. The struggle goes on increasing in bitterness, until one party or the other in total exhaustion sullenly submits, or a lame and unsatisfactory compromise is effected.

A situation leading to such enormous waste, and so fomenting evil passions, cannot fail to command the intense attention of the Church of God, which was founded by Him who died to save all sorts of men from their sins and from such frightful consequences of sin. The Church must come in between these vast contending forces, holding aloft the banner of the cross to which both must bow, and offering to both the Sermon on the Mount as the perfect charter of the rights and the duties of both. Never, until the Church shall lay the Golden Rule upon the conscience of capitalists and of laborers, will the golden millennium of industrial peace be ushered in.

In all this contention it need hardly be said that the sympathy of the Church must to a large extent be with those concerning whom Abraham Lincoln quaintly said: "The Lord must like the common people, else He would not have made so many of them," doubtless having in mind the fact that when Jesus was on earth "the common people heard Him gladly."

In spite of all the blunders made by labor leaders and the indefensible acts of their followers, philanthropic men must wish them success in every lawful effort to better their condition and secure their rights. But they must learn from their real friends that every act of violence hurts their cause and that law and order must be maintained at all hasards. We recognize as significant and hopeful the recent movement led by certain capitalists to settle by arbitration all disputes between labor and capital.

Lynching.—There is ample occasion for continued and most emphatic protest against lynching as a most demoralizing crime, which strikes at the very roots of public order and of respect for law. That such protest bears fruit is evinced by the decline of the evil. In 1892 and 1893 there were 435 lynchings; in 1902 and 1903 there were 235, or less than one-half as many as in the same length of time ten years before. In 1903 there were 104, of which 12 were in the Northern States and 92 in the Southern States. In 24 Northern States and two Southern States there were none that year. Forty-seven were for murder and only 22 for any other single offense. This evil could be largely diminished if the crimes that are ordinarily made the occasion for it were speedily punished, and the lynching itself, which is also a crime, were treated in like manner.

The Negro Problem.—This current phrase suggests an urgent question of today, which may be the burning question of tomorrow. The problem is not merely the negro problem, or the white man's problem, but the nation's problem. What does the nation propose to do, not chiefly by legislation, but far more through the general spirit and conduct of its people, with nine millions of its inhabitants, sure in a few years to be twenty millions; and what are those multiplying millions to do for the weal or woe of the nation?

Some would fain abridge and even overthrow the civil and political rights guaranteed to them by the constitution. A few would subject them to a reign of intimidation and to practical peonage. More would make them mere "hewers of wood and drawers of water." Hewers of wood and drawers of water, mechanics and farm laborers, no doubt the vast majority of men of every color in this land and in every other land are and will always be, unless scientific progress and the multiplication of machinery shall totally transform existing industrial methods. But the essential conditions of public welfare in a country like this require that men of every nationality, color, and language shall be free according to personal merit to rise in the ranks and above the ranks.

While, therefore, there is ample reason to rejoice in the great recent advance in manual training for both colored and white youth, there is also absolute need for higher and the highest intellectual opportunities to be open to both. The negro does not need to be, nay, can only be hurt by being coddled or patronized or made the childish recipient of privileges. Let him—let us also—steadily, reasonably, firmly and sturdily assert, seek to realize, and maintain his rights, and his privileges will take care of themselves.

Let him—let us also—steadily, reasonably, firmly and sturdily seek to realize and maintain his rights, including the right of suffrage on the same terms prescribed for other citizens, and his privileges will take care of themselves; but let us all remember that duties of more importance than either rights or privileges, and that uplift and progress must inevitably be chiefly dependent on the clearness with which we apprehend and the fidelity with which we discharge our duties. Manual training must be attended not only by intellectual development, but also by the assiduous moral and religious culture which makes duty the sublime imperative of life. Such are the controlling ideas of education in the schools of our Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, and we are happy to say that not a single student of any of those schools has ever been accused of the

frightful crime which has so often provoked the horrors of lynching.

Intemperance.—The enormous evils of intemperance are so constant and omnipresent that they seem to stupefy the public heart and conscience, just as the horrors of a long-continued and bloody war at length dull the sensibilities of whole communities. So it seems almost impossible to maintain any general, steady, unwearied struggle against the causes of intemperance. Spasmodic efforts here and there show the possibility of brilliant success, and then the leaders disagree as to the plan for a continuous campaign or become discouraged, and the effort slackens and dies out. Meanwhile the liquor traffic, supported by the two mighty motives of greed and appetite, sleeplessly maintains its diabolical work.

As to methods for counterworking an iniquity so vast and so ruinous to everything dearest to mankind, two things have long been generally settled in the convictions of American Methodists. The banner we follow in this holy war must bear these two legends: Total abstinence and legal prohibition—total abstinence, as the only personal security and the only foundation for effectual help to "the weaker brother;" constitutional prohibition of the manufacture and sale of all intoxicating liquors to be used as beverages, as the only method yet discovered for any widely effectual and permanently successful war upon the liquor traffic.

In view of the primary and fundamental character of these two indispensable principles of temperance reform, it is of the highest importance that they be perpetually reimpressed upon the public mind, and that they be maintained by wise and defensible arguments, and by such only, since any good cause is always the loser by extravagant overstatement. Of these two principles total abstinence logically holds the first place, for unless it can be shown that total abstinence is a Christian duty there can be no sure standing place for legal prohibition. As to the progress of total abstinence there are certain very encouraging facts, such as the abolishment of the army canteen, the granting of special low rates by some life insurance companies to total abstainers, the requirement of several great railroad companies and other large corporations that their employés shall be total abstainers, and the declaration of the King of England that it would be no less gratifying to him to have his health drunk in water than in wine. Yet there is great need for increased emphasis of the primary and paramount duty of total abstinence.

There must be perpetual teaching in the home, the Sunday-school, the church, the day school, the church schools and colleges, and in the secular and religious press concerning the physiological effects of intoxicating drinks, the awful evils of drunkenness, the imperative need of active and incessant effort in the temperance reform, and the proved worthlessness of any such efforts which are not rooted in total abstinence and legal prohibition. Public attention should also be constantly called to the economic side of the liquor business. While we stir the moral sense we ought also to arouse the financial sense of the burden bearers of the business world. The care for the dissipated criminal classes, spawned upon society by this ruinous business, falls chiefly upon the sober and industrious. The burden imposed upon the resources of the American people by the liquor business far exceeds the cost of maintaining all the armies of Europe. Once let the American people realise how they are held up and robbed by this highwayman, and they will make short work of his arrest and execution. On all these lines the school must teach, the Church must plan, the press must proclaim, the pulpit must thunder, the ballot must be utilized; and all good men should perpetually pray that, divinely led, perhaps in ways not yet clear to any of us, the forces of righteousness may in some near tomorrow go forth to successful and triumphant combat against that enormity of iniquity—the liquor saloon. And until the great victory for which we hope shall be achieved, let our people be advised to cooperate heartily with all efforts to curtail and restrict the liquor traffic, including Sunday closing, diminished hours, severe punishment for the sale to minors, by putting drunkards in work-houses and farm colonies, and utilizing their earnings for the support of their families; and also to support well-conducted anti-saloon leagues, law and order societies, and such local option movements as have secured absolute and effective prohibition in scores of counties in many sections of the country; and to establish, as substitutes for the saloon, coffee-houses, furnishing non-intoxicating beverages, and with rooms attached for reading, conversation, and innocent amusements. We would thus be taking steps toward the greater ends we constantly keep in view.

We hopefully commend this very vital theme to your careful consideration, believing that under your instructions the Permanent Committee on Temperance may be able to inaugurate some new or modified forms of activity which will arouse the conscience of the Church to more efficient temperance work, and hasten the moral millennium of temperance triumphant.

Meanwhile our flag must ever float aloft, nailed to the mast, emblazoned with our irrepealable watchwords writ large so that all men can read them from afar, "Total abstinence and universal constitutional prohibition."

Divorce.—The multiplication of divorces, the facility with which they are secured, the totally insufficient and comparatively trivial grounds on which they are granted, such as "Desertion," "Incompatability of Temper," and even "Neglect," the utter disregard of the solemn words of the Savior on this subject, the effrontery of public decency with which they are sometimes secured in high life—divor e being followed in some instances by remarriage within a single hour, the same judicial ermine being sullied by both functions—surely these things demand the solemn rebuke of the Church, and its sharp discipline of any of its members who violate the law of God in matters so vital to the purity of the family and the well-being of society.

Popular Amusements—We would be most unfaithful to our trust as general overseers of a flock of Christ, including at least ten millions of souls as members of our churches and their children and others who most naturally look to Methodism for moral guidance, if we should fail to raise a note of solemn admonition concerning popular amusements. The chief occupation of little children is play; youth, busy with study or with work, must have frequent amusement, and adults need relaxation from perpetual activity by innocent recreation. Hence we propose no crusade against amusements as such. Many amusements are innocent and become harmful only by excess; some are essentially immoral; and others so often lead to immorality that they should be scrupulously avoided. Whatever chills the ardor of devotion, or dulls religious activity, ill befits a disciple of Him who demands our love "with all our heart and soul and mind," and who as our example "went about doing good." Addiction to evil amusement and excessive indulgence in any amusement are exceedingly harmful to spiritual life. Because of these things many church members are lukewarm or backslidden. In view of the manifest and rapid growth of this evil, in spite of our methods of dealing with it in the past, may it not be well to make a new effort more solemn and persistent than ever before to lay this subject on the conscience of the Church and of every individual member? We suggest an additional section to be inserted in the Discipline to be substantially follows:

Amusements—Improper amusements and excessive indulgence in innocent amusements are serious barriers to the beginning of the religious life and fruitful causes of spiritual decline. Some amusements in common use are also positively demoralizing and furnish the first easy steps to the total loss of character. We therefore look with deep concern on the great increase of amusements and on the general prevalence of harmful amusements, and lift up a solemn note of warning and entreaty, particularly against theater going, promiscuous dancing, and such games of chance as are frequently associated with gambling; all of which have been found to be antagonistic to vital piety, promotive of worldliness, and especially pernicious to youth. We affectionately admonish all our people to make their amusements the subject of careful thought and frequent prayer, to study the subject of amusements in the light of their tendencies, and to be scrupulously careful in this matter to set no injurious example. We adjure them to remember that the question for a Christian must often be, not whether a certain course of action is positively immoral, but whether it will dull the spiritual life and be an unwise example. We enjoin on all our Bishops, presiding elders, and pastors to call attention to this subject with solemn urgency in our Annual and Quarterly Conference and in all our pulpits; and on our editors, Sunday-school officers, Epworth League officers, and class leaders to aid in abating the evils we deplore. We deem it our bounden duty to summon the whole church to apply a thoughtful and instructed conscience to the choice of amusements, and not to leave them to accident or taste or passion; and we affectionately advise and beseech every member of the church absolutely to avoid "the taking such diversions as cannot be used in the name of the Lord Jesus."

If this section shall be inserted in the Discipline, it will remain with the General Conference to make such provisions for the enforcement of our rules as it may deem wise.

Mormonism has once more reared its hideous head in brazen defiance of the moral sense of the nation and in shameful violation of the pledge which secured Statehood for Utah. It is vigorously pushing its propaganda in many parts of the country, especially in the States and Territories among and adjacent to the Rocky Mountains, where in a few years there will be a population of many millions. No palliatives suffice to check the ravages of this cancer, much less to extirpate it by the roots. The remedy in sight is the keen sugery of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States absolutely prohibiting polygamy on every acre of the national domain.

Romanism does not employ in this country the methods which have stamped its history with infamy in Spain, Mexico, South America, Porto Rico, the Philippines, and elsewhere. Yet its insidious efforts to control the secular press, its adroit influence in politics, and its tireless assaults on one of the chief bulwarks of the republic, the public school system, demand the sleepless vigilance of all Protestants and patriots. Its malign influence in countries where it has for centuries held unobstructed sway demonstrates its essential character, and furnishes many of the most frightful object lessons which history records. To these lessons we cannot close our eyes because of any mawkish plea for religious toleration. What in Romanism is morally and religiously good we not merely tolerate, but welcome; but what in it is erroneous and evil, subversive of individual rights and of national safety, we must evermore expose and combat.

THE OUTLOOK.

We have thus glanced at very many topics and have carefully considered some. We have refreshed our impression of the genius of Methodism, its splendid early history, its wide diffusion, its evangelistic emphasis, its unique organization, its multiplied agencies, its general policies, and the evils it must combat. Two centuries have elapsed since the birth of its founder. Who can cast the horoscope of its next century and that of the one universal Church of Christ on earth? Our faith takes wing and says the resources are so great; the wealth within the Christian Church is now so large (if only it were consecrated to the work God has for it to do;) Christian people are now so vast a multitude (if they would but come to the front and assert themselves always, and not be overpowered by the chill of sin and of unbelief;) the resources of intellectual culture through the schools and colleges are so ample; the whole ecclesiastical machinery for the world's salvation is now so very abundant and magnificent, that often and often faith takes wing and declares, if only these appliances could have a new baptism of this Pentecost, the millenium might come in a decade.

Oh, ye Methodists, "who knoweth whether ye are come to the kingdom for such a time as this?" We see the graudeur of our inheritance; we see the reality and threatening character of our perils; and on this mountain top of observation we ought to see more clearly our inspiring possibilities. The world expects great things of us. We should be deeply moved by this consideration. It expects of us soundness of doctrine. It expects of us a genuine, heartfelt religious experience. It expects us, still further, to be among the foremost of the churches in carrying aloft the banner of glowing and transforming evangelistic power. It expects us to proclaim salvation now and free for all, and to carry this proclamation everywhere throughout the land. Such things the world expects of us; our traditions bind us to them; God demands them of us; His voice from heaven summons us. "Arise, shine, for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee."

The great sculptor, Donatello, when he had finished the splendid statue which he carved on the front of the Church of San Michele in Florence, waited for the judgment of the greatest living artist in sculpture, Michael Angelo. At last Michael Angelo came to look at it. There was St. George on his lofty pedestal. The master of all sculptors looked at it, and looked with long-continued gaze. The features were perfect, the figure faultless, the pose magnificent, the marble seemed to him alive. His eye glowed with rapture of admiration. The crowd around waited to hear what the master would say. At last his lips opened, and he exclaimed: "Now march." We say to Methodism today, "Now march."

HINDOO HOUSE.

EXHIBIT ATTRACTIONS.

Among the more interesting attractions at the Missionary Exhibit is the model of a Hindoo "zenana." As near as it can be explained, a zenana is a large apartment-house in India, where the owner of many wives has an apartment for each wife. They are never permitted to go from their own quarters, nor to allow their faces to be seen. The model house shows the small latticed window, the niche for her god, and other accessories of a well-regulated zenana, all of which have been constructed under the supervision of persons who have resided in India.

At the formal opening of the exhibit yesterday afternoon, Dr. J. F. Goucher of the Woman's College, Baltimore, presided; the scripture was read by Ding Maing Ing of Foochow, China; and the prayer was offered by Bishop Hartzell of Africa; Secretary A. B. Leonard of New York, followed with an address, and the final prayer was offered by Dr. John W. Butler of the City of Mexico.

During the day, returned missionaries, at frequent periods, delivered lectures from their several booths, and so great was the crowd that the doors had to be closed to prevent others going in.

Last night, Rev. A. P. Camphor, a stalwart negro, president of the College of West Africa, Monrovia, Liberia, delivered an interesting lecture upon "The Problems and Signs of Promise in Liberia." He had a large and attentive auudience.

LAUGH WAS ON DR. BUCKLEY.

FUN IN AFTERNOON AT THE CONFERENCE SESSION.

Voice of a Woman Heard for First Time on the Great Assembly's Floor—First Debate on Readjustment of Conference Districts—Doings of the Day.

The General Conference did not convene yesterday until 10 a.m. The time was then given to the reading of the Episcopal address by Bishop Foss.

"When one gets the laugh on Dr. J. M. Buckley it is when he is napping," is a saying common in Methodist circles. Dr. Buckley must have been napping yesterday afternoon.

With his usual ability the doctor secured Bishop Walden's recognition and, urged by the presiding officer, he came to the rostrum to voice his sentiments. He spoke with his usual eloquence and force. He wanted provision made for changing the rules. The more he insisted the more the conference laughed until, for explanation, Dr. Buckley turned to Bishop Walden with:

"What does this mean?"

The Bishop was also a-grin. His reply was:

"Dr. Buckley, where have you been? A committee has already been provided for."

The doctor took his seat amidst a roar of laughter.

Later in the session Dr. Buckley again secured the floor, asking that the roll of conferences be called for the presentation of resolutions, memorials, etc. The reasons given were presented with the usual Buckley emphasis. He was permitted to finish and made his motion. Amidst a round of laughter the absent-minded editor was informed that for nearly an hour the secretary had been calling the roll of conferences.

Dr. Buckley had evidently been enjoying a nap.

The work of the afternoon was mostly of a routine nature, but in its transaction the voice of a woman was heard for the first time on the General Conference floor. Delegates of the sterner sex had been, by motion, giving a place upon the platform to many of the old heroes of the cross when Mrs. Minerva Roberts of the Nebraska Conference secured recognition. She wanted a few of her own sex honored. She named Mrs. Clinton B. Fisk and Mrs. Jane Bancroft Robinson.

"You are out of order," ventured Bishop Walden. "There is a motion before the house. You will be obliged to wait."

"Oh, all right," responded Mrs. Roberts; "we have waited twelve years; we can wait a little longer."

Among those honored with seats upon the platform were: Rev. Dr. W. H. Shier of Detroit, Rev. F. B. Gamewell, the hero of the siege of Peking; Rev. Dr. Wough, Rev. Dr. Dolliver, father of Senator Dolliver of Iowa; Rev. Dr. McLain, for forty years a laborer in China and Japan; Rev. Dr. C. S. Spencer and S. H. Pye, agents of the church.

The first debate of the day was precipitated by Dr. J. F. Goucher of Baltimore, who made a plea for the readjustment of the General Conference districts. His resolution provided for the appointment of a committee of fifteen, one from each district and three at large, to rearrange the present division lines and create two extra districts.

This proposed division did not suit Dr. E. M. Randal of the Puget Sound Conference. He saw behind it a scheme for controlling for sectional profit. He insisted that the division if made at all should be based upon population alone.

Dr. L. A. Belt of the Central Ohio also scented danger. "Whoever has the drawing of that chalk line," said Dr. Belt, "will have omnipotent power. It looks to me like a Gerrymandering scheme such as is frequently resorted to by politicians. It should be put over for a day at least."

This action was finally taken and when it comes again there will be clubs a-plenty in waiting to hit the measure and its promoters a lick.

The demand for an early report from the Committee on Episcopacy induced a little verbal scrap. The number of bishops to be elected was asked for by Tuesday and it was urged that balloting should begin on Wednesday; the conference to adjourn May 24. Voting upon the resolutions separately they were knocked out one by one, Dr. Buckley, chairman of the committee, giving them their deathblow.

Another little event that for a moment presaged trouble was in connection with the effort of Rev. Dr. George Elliott to create a committee to inquire into the necessity and expediency of appointing a bishop of African extraction. Mr. Elliott thought the time had arrived to give the colored man a leader of his own people, one who could come near to them and enter more fully into the plans and purposes of his race.

C. P. McClellen of New York made a vigorous protest against such discrimination, claiming for the negro all of the rights of the conference and not to be subjected to humiliation by segregation. The speaker thought the introduction of the color line at this time was unfortunate, and he trusted that it might not be again.

The conference took the same view and tabled the motion.

By resolution, committees were created for the reception of fraternal delegates, and on rules of order to take into consideration proposed amendments referred to it. Provision was also made for the publication of majority and minority reports in the Daily Christian Advocate.

Rev. Charles E. Crookshank of the Irish Wesleyan Conference and Rev. William Dobson of the Canadian Wesleyan Connection, fraternal delegates to the General Conference, were introduced.

The day closed with the roll call of conferences for the presentation of memorials and resolutions.

CONFERENCE NOTES.

GAMEWELL A WARNER.

Missionary F. D. Gamewell, who is known as "The Hero of Peking," in devoting his life to warning people to flee from the wrath to come, may be said by the lover of levity, to be following in the footsteps of his father, whose name is to be seen on all the red fire-alarm boxes sticking about the city. The elder Gamewell is the inventor of the system.

In recognition of his efforts to allay the sufferings of Delegate Frank Moss of New York, and others on the special conference train, the fellow-passengers of H. L. Cookingham, M.D., last night presented him with a loving-cup at the Fremont Hotel. The cup was appropriately inscribed, and the presentation address was made by Dr. C. S. Green, a presiding elder of New York.

Rev. Dr. W. W. Brodish, special correspondent for the Brooklyn Times, is a pastor in Brooklyn. He is staying at No. 1216 Orange street.

"DIE-NO-MORE" CAPTIVATES.

DR. ABRAM J. PALMER BREATHES SPIRIT OF SIXTIES.

Gives Pungent Recital of the Days of "Confiscated" Chickens and the Regiment With a Song that Made it Famous—Vivid Account of Prisons and Sisters of Mercy.

There is one man attending the conference who confesses to having stolen chickens and chicken potpie; who all but lied to a Sister of Mercy, the only reason he did not lie being that it would not work. That man is a "Die-no-More" and he is a Methodist.

Dr. Abram J. Palmer completely captivated his audience at Hasard's Pavilion last night when he told who the Die-no-Mores were and why they died. His eloquence was like the rise and fall of the sea, now a gentle murmur, a song of laughter and then a mighty roar. His story of a company of Union soldier lads, the oldest being 21, carried with it an excitement, a pathos, a hope and a patriotism seldom found in a speech of one brief hour. His lecture was unavoidably shortened because of the failure of his voice. Dr. Palmer stating that his throat had been choked with dust for eight days in transit.

It was not of the deeds of generals or colonels that Dr. Palmer spoke, but of the simple private, "who fought to keep his country on the map." Of a school at Pennington, "where one sweet, peaceful day the bark of the cannon of Charleston came through the windows of a school, came the voice of the country calling for her sons to die." He told how the books were cast aside, of the mustering of Co. D of the Forty-eighth New York. As the captain was a Methodist he took his company to Boston to enlist it under a Methodist colonel, and there it was that it got its name of the "Die-No-Mores," because it sang a Methodist song ending with that refrain.

"In fact," said Dr. Palmer, "there was an ecclesiastical flavor about that whole regiment and a Southern officer once asked me a long time after the war if all of its members were Methodist preachers. When I told him I did not know for sure he said, 'Well, I know that when they garrisoned Pulaski there was not a yellow-legged chicken left in the country,' and I know that he was right."

Storms of applause frequently interrupted the doctor's graphic description of the taking of Fort Wagner on Morris Island.

"A conflict that was not a battle, but a butchery," he said. "And as the Die-No-Mores formed for the onslaught a company of black men raced past to lead us in the charge—raced past us and on to their death, the first large body of black men to fall in the war. One of those men is here tonight and whatever your hotels may say of his color I am proud to call him my brother. Christ died to make men holy, even as those men died to make men free." [Frantic Applause.]

"I like a man who is willing to pay with his life the price of his convictions, and I love to meet a soldier."

When Dr. Palmer was married he visited five prisons which he inhabited during the war. He told of those prisons and of the dinners they had. "You know the dinners they have in the South, with steamed cockles, thick soup, chicken and sweet potatoes—they brought us in a tub of mush, m-u-s-h. We gorged ourselves with mush. We ate it out of a dipper."

Dr. Palmer told how he helped "confiscate" a pail of chicken potpie from an old mammy negro at the railroad station on the way north.

"We persuaded her to let us smell it. She passed it up through the window. We all took a smell, then a taste, the train passed away and mammy never even saw the pail. She wanted $30 for the potpie. Ethical question—did we steal that potpie?"

The doctor demonstrated by five reasons why it was not stolen: "It is a law of war to weaken the enemy; the train ran faster than mammy could run to get it back; we were starving to set her free and the potpie was part of her sacrifice; the chances are ten to one that she stole the chicken herself and she wanted $30 in Confederate money, which amounts to nothing, we gave her nothing and nothing equals nothing, so we did not steal the potpie."

The doctor expressed as his firm belief that California can not raise as good watermelons as those he had in Columbia, S. C., during the war, and as Bill Nye puts it, a Southerner once said that he was sure that it was an apple and not a watermelon which Eve ate, because when she ate the fruit she repented."

Notwithstanding that "patriotism was a plea for silence," he told the story of the starvation on Bell Island, the worst sin being the shaking of dice for a ration the winning or losing of which meant life or death; of his final collapse from hunger when his mates "carried the little fellow to the hospital in the only blanket which they had; of how the Sisters of Mercy gave them one cup of milk each day and of how he wanted to tell the Sister that his father was a priest in the hope that she would give him an extra cup.

"'But,' said big Bill in the adjoining cot, when the scheme was proposed, 'don't you know, sonny, that priests are not supposed to have any sons?' I was only 16 and did not know."

In closing Dr. Palmer gave four reasons why the Die-No-Mores died: "In order that they might save the Union, and they did; in order that there might be one nation, one flag instead of many, and that their enemies might be their equal; in order that every American mother might own her own babe, the first breath which was taken by the little one being a breath of freedom, and fourth and finally, for the whole world."

An informal reception was tendered the speaker on the platform at the close of his lecture.

DISASTER PREDICTED.

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ART WORK.

Music-box for Austrian Nobleman Made and Shipped to Europe by Local Man.

An unusual shipment from Los Angeles yesterday was the woodwork for a valuable and very ornamental music-box made in Vienna, Austria, by an European firm of jewelers.

Ludwig Bohm is the local creator of this fine piece of craftsmanship. He is an Austrian who left his native country some seven years ago, and who for five years past has been a resident of Southern California. He has a little country home near Burbank, and devotes the most of his time to artistic woodwork in small and highly valuable pieces.

The music box upon which Bohm has been at work will cost about $2000. It is of large size and is to be he property of royalty. It is being made upon a special design furnished by a member of the Austrian court, upon whose order the work is being done.

Bohm's part of the creation consists of five inlaid blocks of ebony, designed as sides and bottom for the melody-receptacle, and an intricately designed composite cover for the top. This cover will be set heavily with gold and precious stones, and the designs for the inlay, although of course not yet filled, are carefully marked by the local engraver. Nothing remains for the jeweler except the mere mounting.

The sides of the casket are decorated with line drawings of allegorical figures taken from the Nibelungen legend. The "lines" are very slender strands of white ivory, inlaid with great care and infinite patience in order to prevent breaking and spoiling the perfect effect of the whole.

Bohm has been many weeks in completing the order, and received his commission in January last. The business house sending it was his employer in the same class of work for fifteen years.

He contemplates a visit to Austria within a few weeks.

He Was "Bunced."

Somebody played it low down on Representative Baker of Brooklyn, a few days ago. Baker is the man who sent back a Baltimore and Ohio Railroad pass and at the same time wrote a long letter to the newspapers telling about his action. There was a dinner of the Fellowship Club in Philadelphia and a number of statesmen, including Baker, went over from Washington to attend it. After the dinner Baker was enticed into the private car of an officer of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and rode back to Washington in it without paying a cent of fare. He tried to pay for his ride, but everybody laughed at him. He says it was an outrage.—[New York World.

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PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

C. A. Nesbitt lost his suit against Mrs. Lucy Whittley yesterday and will not get any remuneration for his services; and he didn't get a kiss.

A prolonged fight carried on in Montana has been transferred to the local courts by a suit begun by J. L. Lindley against Nelson Story, Sr., to recover $20,000 as damages for alleged libel.

Councilmen and Park Commissioners yesterday climbed peaks and explored cañons of Griffith Park.

Many petitioners seek the Board of Health and find it not. No meetings have been held for more than a month.

James Eckles, Printing Pressmen's Union vice-president and agitator, is charged with horrible crimes in the Police Court.

AT THE CITY HALL.

SCENERY IS UNSURPASSED.

SALES OF NEW TRAILS IN GRIFFITH PARK.

Roadways Opened to Hitherto Inaccessible Peaks and Canyons in the City's Great Pleasure Ground. Mount Hollywood Receives a Boisterous Christening.

Mount Hollywood received its first real christening yesterday when four Councilmen, three members of the Park Commission and a coterie of reporters struggled up over the fire trails in the chapparel of Griffith Park and broke bread and opened wine beneath the shadow of Sentinel Peak, the outpost of this, the highest mountain in the Cahuenga range.

Frightened by the sounds of revelry that marked this first invasion of many of the hitherto inaccessible parts of the park, herds of startled deer drew farther back into the deep recesses of virgin cañons, coveys of mountain quail soared away over the green sage, humming bees deserted the odorous honeysuckle and the little brown bear, the pride of the park force, hid himself in a rock-ribbed cavern and came not forth again until the, to him, unwelcome visitors were far on their way back to civilization.

Park Superintendent Legrande and Secretary Hopkins had provided sure-footed mountain horses to convey the travelers over trails too steep and too narrow for wheeled vehicles. Mounted on these and following Foreman Harman, who acted as guide, the park commissioners and Councilmen ascended some of the highest peaks in the park and viewed from these points of vantage the beautiful panorama of the San Fernando Valley which lay like a scroll half-unfolded at their feet. Far away to the west the sunlight glinted on the shimmering waters of the Pacific and to the south rose the church spires of the City of the Angels.

For months the laborers in this park have been cutting trails through the chaparral from cañon to cañon and from peak to peak. With an appropriation of $5000 over 150 miles of fire trails have been cut through the park.

It was for the purpose of viewing this work that the Councilmen and park commissioners took yesterday's junketing trip. The highest peak in the park was named a few weeks ago by the Park Commission "Mount Hollywood." A part of the inspection was the christening. Maj. John T. Jones acted as master of ceremonies and all present took an active part in attending to the exercises.

Commissioner Lankershim thought the occasion an auspicious one to launch his Senatorial boomlet and he announced at the conclusion of the feast that, "I expect to ask the people of California, particularly of the southern portion of the State, to send me to represent them in the United States Senate.

"I have no apology to make in thus announcing myself," he said. "It is the privilege of every citizen to aspire to any office in the commonwealth, and it remains for his fellow-citizens to elect him or turn him down. You will hear more of this later on, but here among friends and amid trails almost as steep as the ones I shall have to travel to reach the United States Senate I desire to make the first public announcement of my candidacy."

Stilling and Summerland, members of the Finance Committee of the Council, said that they were more than pleased with the use to which the money appropriated to the park had been put and held out the hope that the next appropriation might be larger.

Park Commissioner Legrande said that in making the trails over the hills and through the cañons not a single tree had been removed, only the underbrush had been cut away. He explained that the plan for improvement of the park was to open up trails so that tourists could have an opportunity to view its natural beauties.

Then came the horse-back excursions over hog-backs and through cañons to points of rare beauty. The trails were first planned for fire breaks, but the laborers graded them just enough to make them accessible for a horse used to mountain climbing.

Of course there were mishaps. Girths broke on some of the heaviest mules and an occasional rider dismounted over the rear elevation of his steed, but nothing worse than scratches and minor bruises were received.

Julius Krause lost his reputation as an equestrian on the first climb; Councilman McAleer was barred after the mule race for "jockeying," Col. Lankershim soon came to the conclusion that if the political trails were anything like those in Griffith Park, he would be left at the post. Park Secretary Hopkins left his khaki leggins on a buckthorn bush; Maj. John T. Jones got lost by insisting on exploring a trail that should have been left unexplored. Councilman Summerland gave an exhibition of rough riding that looked suspiciously like something he had seen at the circus; Skilling waxed enthusiastic in telling how he used to drive mules in Missouri; and the reporters, well half the delegation walked and the other half were sorry they didn't. But the scenery was good it all, and more.

New wagon roads have been opened in some of the prettiest cañons of the park. Near the Tropico entrance lunch pavilions have been erected, swings placed and other conveniences arranged for picnic parties.

Work will be commenced next month on a road over the divide from the Hollywood side so that sightseers can enter the park from Tropico and drive through to the other side of the range, returning to the city through Hollywood.

Shooting in the park is strictly forbidden and as a result it has become a veritable paradise for bird and beast. Mountain quail are there by the thousand, three kinds of deer make their home in the park, mountain lions are frequently seen by the workmen and two bears have sought refuge there. Deer and quail were sighted yesterday, but the bears and mountain lions failed to put in an appearance.

WHY NO MEETINGS?

BOARD OF HEALTH QUESTION.

What has happened in the Board of Health, that the meetings of that body have been discontinued? This question has been bandied about the City Hall until it has almost assumed the proportions of an issue.

Under the provisions of the city charter the Board of Health is to hold bi-weekly meetings. This is theory, practice of late has been a meeting once a month, but at the present time meetings are not held even that often.

Garbage reports, monthly reports of inspectors, department bills, protests and petitions almost without number are accumulating with the clerk of the health department awaiting action of the Health Board. An attempt was made to hold a meeting last Tuesday night, but there was no quorum. It was thought that the meeting could be held at noon yesterday, but there were only two members of the board in the city.

An attaché of the health department yesterday said the failure of the board to take prompt action on routine matters is demoralizing to the discipline of the department. Inspectors compile reports that are allowed to grow musty before they are submitted and the men lose interest in their work.

Here are some matters outside of the routine business of the department that are now awaiting action by the board.

A report on the condition of the dairies that supply milk to Los Angeles consumers; this includes an examination of the reports of inspectors on the condition of the milk supply. The season is just approaching when food is scarce and when the quantity of the milk generally deteriorates.

The Council a month ago passed an ordinance at the request of the Board of Health and referred it to that body for enforcement.

Reports filed with the Health Officer show many failures to collect on the part of the garbage contractors. The garbage inspectors have reported that the contractor has not enough wagons to cover the entire city. The enforcement of the garbage contract rests with the Board of Health and the season is now here when uncollected garbage quickly becomes a disease breeder.

Recommendation has been made that the Board of Health appoint a school nurse whose duty it shal be to inspect the city schools and to give practical instructions to the teachers in regard to treatment of certain minor skin diseases that some poor children contract.

The City Chemist has filed a report with the Health Officer showing that bread baked with certain brands of baking powder that have a large sale here contains alum. This the City Attorney's office has declared to be a violation of the State pure food law, but action on the part of the Board of Health is asked in order to file suits.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

ONE EYE FOR PRETTY FACE.

NESBITT TRIED TO SNATCH KISS FROM A WIDOW.

Failing in the Attempt He Put in a Bill for Services Rendered, Which Court Yesterday Couldn't Appreciate—Judgment Given for the Woman.

"Cap" C. A. Nesbitt is as plucky as he ever was, and that is saying much. He is minus an arm, the other hand is mangled, and he has lost an eye, but with the remaining optic he can easily discern a pretty face and trim figure. Yesterday he was in Judge Oster's court, trying to obtain a judgment against Mrs. Lucy Whittley for $714, and thereby hangs a tale.

Mrs. Whittley has attractiveness, which is of the Spanish type. And her pleasant face and snapping eyes indicate that she has by no means lost interest in her surroundings even if she is a widow, and truth to tell, she has shown that she is well able to make money and take care of herself. For at least some of those characteristics "Cap" Nesbitt admired her. He and her husband had been schoolmates and he had received many kindnesses at the hands of his dead friend, who had got away ahead of him in accumulating money.

When Hayward's furniture store was burned Mrs. Whittley joined with others and bought a large stock of chairs at the salvage, realizing a nice little sum afterward by auctioning them off. At that time Nesbitt told her she was being robbed, and offered to work at the temporary chair factory so as to keep a look out for her interests. Mrs. Whittley thought this very kind, for her stock of chairs had been stored in a big tent and quite a large staff of men were employed setting the chairs up and attending to the business. "Cap" said that he might just as well sleep at the tent as not, as he had to have a room up town and pay for it anyway; and he became quite indignant when she offered to put him on the payroll. He scorned the filthy lucre, but because of his regard for his old friend—her deceased husband—as well as for herself, particularly herself, as it turned out—he was willing to work around for nothing.

On the stand yesterday Mrs. Whittley said Nesbitt worked about the place a considerable time and until she was taken sick and was confined to the house. One day he called to see her, and then came the climax.

"We had been talking only a little while," said Mrs. Whittley, "when he reached over and tried to kiss me. I was so angry that I ordered him out of the house."

And "Cap" went all right, but to the "dear little woman in black," as he always termed Mrs. Whittley, he next day sent a bill for services rendered for $714. This account, which was the basis of the claim yesterday, was for services as salesman, superintendent, and night watchman, at the rate of $3.50 a day, for a term extending from September 4, 1902, to March 26, 1903. During that period of time Mrs. Whittley had given him money whenever he asked for it, amounting to $57, and, unfortunately for Nesbitt, there were a number of witnesses well aware of the voluntary character of the services he was rendering while acting as watchful guardian of the chair receivatory. Judgment was given for Mrs. Whittley. Nesbitt doesn't get a cent and has lost his friend besides.

MOTHER AND CHILD.

PATHETIC SCENE IN COURT.

Mrs. L. M. Rose was committed to Highland yesterday. Behind the blank face there is a story of suffering, and though a sister and a tot of 5 years were by her side, the crazed woman failed to recognize either.

But while Miss Irene Shetler, the sister, was telling what she knew about her sister's malady, the child tried to climb into her mother's lap, and stroked her hands in childish sympathy for the mother she knew to be ill. And the mother gazed down at the little anxious face as if trying so hard to remember. Once or twice she turned away as if to banish the dim glimmerings of reason, annoyed that she could not realize that something was haunting her poor distraught brain. Then each time she would again turn to the little one, and the child would wipe the haggard face, and whisper in the ear of her mother as she stood by her side. And then—then, something like a look of recognition illumined the face of Mrs. Rose, and she clasped the girl to her heart while she cried and crooned over her. But in a moment the dull drapery of obscurity clouded the brain of the poor woman, and she sat impassive and oblivious of her surroundings.

Though the exact why and wherefore was not explained, the cause of Mrs. Rose's trouble was closely connected with her infatuation for a man named Percidio, who was partially the cause of a divorce. When he accompanied her on a trip to San Bernardino it marked the beginning of the illness that has culminated in insanity. The woman's family lives at Los Alamos, Santa Barbara county, but the sister resides on Winston street, this city.

FORTY YEARS WAR.

BUT NO BLOOD SHED YET.

Nelson Story, Sr., a retired capitalist of Montana, now residing at the Hotel Fremont, has been followed to the land of sunshine and flowers by his ancient enemy, J. W. Lindley, also a man of means in Montana, and the war is in the courts. There has been a rumpus between the two, so it is said, for about forty years, but for the most part it has been of the guerrilla type. Now Lindley has brought suit in the Superior Court to recover $20,000 as damages.

In years gone by Story is said to have built a dam which was barely completed when it was blown up. Lindley was held responsible for that. A second dam was built, and again it was blown to smithereens. Then the war was on. Story is a Southern man of the old type. He is about 65 years of age, a staunch friend and just as staunch an enemy. The legal fight that has been inaugurated in the court of this county had its rise in certain articles appearing in the Gallatin County Republican, a newspaper published at Bozeman, Mont., where both Lindley and Story occupied prominent positions and were widely known.

Lindley has been in the habit, it appears, of writing letters to Story, which the latter amid his peaceful surroundings in Los Angeles refused to be bothered with. He stamped the envelopes and returned the letters to the postmaster at Bozeman. But on occasions he broke through this rule, and one letter thus opened aroused his fighting blood. He sent it to the Bozeman paper and ordered it inserted, with additional comments of his own, each week until discontinued; and instructed that the bill be rendered to him each week for payment. The letter and accompanying commenta are of no special interest to the general public, but the succeeding week Story caused the following to be inserted:

"$5000 REWARD.

"I will pay the above reward for evidence that will convict the party or parties of burning my son's iron foundry on the night of the 10th of this month. I will pay the above reward for evidence that will convict any party or parties destroying—or attempting to destroy any of my property in Gallatin county or the property of either of my children by fire, powder or dynamite. Payment to be made after conviction and the landing of the culprit in the penitentiary.

[Signed] "NELSON STORY, SR."

By reason of these publications Lindley avers he has been damaged and considers himself seriously aggrieved. His good name and standing in the community where he lives has been injured, and he asks for a monetary salve in the sum of $20,000.

HIS LIFE IN PERIL?

PIERCE'S WEAK DEFENSE.

The trial of Charles Elmer Pierce for having killed Mike Castellano, the San Pedro bartender, is one of the most extraordinary murder trials ever held in the county. There have been murders more brutal, some more deliberate, but there never has been one where the defense was so weak.

The defendant went upon the witness stand yesterday, but the sum total of his testimony was that he was drunk all of the day which ended by his shooting the bartender just because the man saw that he had enough whisky aboard and refused to give him more. Other witnesses testified to the same thing—that the defendant was drunk, and so far, indeed, the prosecution was not impugning that statement. But drunkenness is not a defense, and only in the most incidental way was it insinuated that Pierce was suffering from insanity at the time he fired the fatal shot.

A number of witnesses testified to Pierce's reputation for peace and quiet, but even in that there was a standoff, for others testified to the contrary. Indeed, one witness stated that he had heard that Pierce had shot a man in the East, and that his reputation for peace and quiet was bad.

The defendant is a well-educated man and apparently very much superior to the boatmen and longshoremen with whom he was associating at the time of the killing. Throughout the trial he has maintained a quiet, gentlemanly attitude, and only by the trembling of his fingers when he would pick up the papers in the case was the nervous tension under which he is living to be detected.

The arguments began yesterday afternoon and will be resumed this morning.

VIGOROUS EX-SECRETARY.

POPULAR DR. MONROE.

The strong and kindly face of Rev. Dr. D. S. Monroe is as familiar to the attendants at a General Conference as the sun is to the noonday. For twenty-eight years he sat at the secretary's desk on the platform, and his resonant voice has been even more familiar than his countenance.

Yesterday he was sought on all sides by his brethren, who have known him so long and so well. He was congratulated upon his exceptional vigor, and expressions of regret at his retirement from the secretaryship were universal.

He has been a pastor all his ministerial life, except when he once allowed himself to be chosen a presiding elder in Pennsylvania. He is now serving his fifth year over the congregation in the city of Shamokin. In that State, and says that his ideal work is that of a pastor. He has all his life been considered one of Pennsylvania's greatest revivalists, and has occupied the principal pulpits throughout the State. Though approaching 80 years of age, he has the vigor of a man of 60.

LAWYER DELEGATE.

THE WOMAN'S CHAMPION.

One of the most noted as well as one of the most distinguished-looking among the laymen in attendance upon the conference is Thomas H. Murray of Clearfield, Pa.

Mr. Murray is thought to hold the record among laymen for continuity of service in the General Conference, this being his fifth successive session as a representative of the Central Pennsylvania conference. In addition to this he was honored by being sent as a delegate to the Ecomenical Council which met in London in 1901, as the representative of the influential twelfth district of Pennsylvania.

In every session of the General Conference in which Mr. Murray has been a delegate he has been a prominent figure in the connection with the great questions that have been disposed of, but as the champion of the women in their struggle for admission as delegates he has from the beginning easily been the leader among the laymen. He first took up the fight in New York in 1888, when he was a member of the special commission of seventeen to consider the subject. But five of the seventeen stood with him, and there was no hope for the women, but at each session thereafter until women were finally admitted at Chicago, Mr. Murray was in the thick of the fight. Being a strong debater and a man who dies hard, much of the credit of the victory belongs to him. He is recognized as one of the leading criminal lawyers of Pennsylvania, and won his way by conscientious and tireless labor for his clients. Mr. Murray's ability as an adjudicator has been recognized by the General Conference in its having placed him on the commission to bring about a federation between the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, which commission is composed of three bishops, three ministers and three laymen.

He is also a member of the committee on the Book Concern, second in importance to no other, and has been an aggressive figure in the handling of the intricate questions coming before it.

MICROSCOPIC ESTATE.

NOTHING TO PAY LEGACIES.

It had been anticipated that the first and final account of the administrator in the estate of the late Charles D. Hopkins would be filed today, and an order made for the distribution of the estate. But the final account will be withdrawn and for a curious reason.

The estate belonging to the deceased is very small, and the heirs asked that the half interest in two lots at Pasadena be distributed to the two sons of Hopkins, they being the only heirs and devisees under the will. The half interest amounts to $200, but it now develops that even this small interest has strings to it.

The will was probated in New Hampshire, and it's first clause provided that $500 be set aside to care for the grave of the deceased Hopkins. In order to learn if this had been done before the estate here should be distributed communication was opened with the district judge in New Hampshire, and his reply was received yesterday. He wrote, stating that there will not be enough money in the estate to pay the creditors, that no legacies will be paid at all, and that the little $200 in this county will be swallowed up in the general creditors' fund.

But even that is not the worst. Hopkins is not the first man, and won't be the last, to leave legacies totaling thousands of dollars when he didn't have as many cents. The younger brother was specifically mentioned in the will. He was to receive the income of the entire estate up to the time he arrived at the age of 25 years. Now he doesn't know what he's up against, for the entire estate, both in the East and West, has flown.

SHERIDAN'S COUSIN.

HELD ON INSANITY CHARGE.

There is an undersized old man at the County Hospital who is in the habit of crossing his two forefingers whenever he meets a stranger and saying, "God bless you." He has been there a year, and was as inoffensive in manner as he was interesting in conversation.

He claimed to be a cousin of Gen. Phil Sheridan, the dashing cavalry leader of the great war, and basked in the reflected glory of his kinsman. Now, however, he has reached the stage of senility, with all its accompanying drawbacks. No longer will he discuss the war or the deeds of bravery of "Little Phil." He is rather inclined to be morose, wanders if not watched, and on occasion has had to be strapped in his bed. Yesterday an insanity complaint was sworn out against him.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

SAYLIN DIVORCE. Mrs. Lena Saylin of Pasadena was granted a decree by Judge Oster yesterday, divorcing her from Dr. Isaac Saylin, on the ground of cruelty. It was shown that the wife had suffered physical abuse at the hands of her husband. The parties were married at Buffalo in 1885, and have three children, who are awarded to the custody of the mother.

UNNAMED PRECINCTS. The election officers of the consolidated precincts 39, 40 and 41 appeared before the Board of Supervisors yesterday in answer to subpoenas, and explained why they had marked the sealed returns "Precinct 11." They said that at the recent bond election 11 was the number of the precinct, and they thought that it remained the same for election purposes. That's all there was to it.

COLONIZING SCHEME. The Los Angeles Colonization Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $75,000, of which $300 has been subscribed. The directors are J. H. Best, W. C. Jenkins, C. E. Dawson, S. J. Best, E. F. Dawson, all of this city.

DAMAGES CLAIMED. A. G. Stephenson has begun suit against the Los Angeles Railway Company to recover $10,000 as damages, and $500 for money expended for physicians' services. The plaintiff alleges that he was a passenger on a car with which another car collided at the intersection of San Pedro and Thirteenth streets. He was thrown down and badly injured, and says he was at that time making $150 net a month.

SENT TO HIGHLAND. Miss Ada Shoulters, 30 years of age, was committed to Highland yesterday.

WILSON WINS. In the suit of P. L. Wilson against the Southern Pacific Company, Judge Allen yesterday handed down an opinion in which he gives judgment in favor of the plaintiff. The suit arose out of a contract made by one Mott with the railroad company, by which Mott agreed to purchase certain land which it was claimed was part of the government grant, and did pay a certain amount. It was agreed that if the government refused to issue a patent for the land then the company would refund the money. In 1899 the government did issue a patent to the land, and then Mott assigned his right, title and interest over to the present plaintiff.

SENSES RETURN. Eugene Kensil, a young waiter at Santa Monica, who held Mrs. Rosa Camp in her room several hours while insane, was yesterday sent to Highland. The young man has recovered his senses, however, and though in a somewhat dazed condition, it is believed he will be well in a short time. When arrested he was a raving maniac.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

BLACK CHARGES AGAINST HIM.

IS THIS WALKING DELEGATE AN OSCAR WILDE?

Complaints Against Printing Pressmen's Union Vice-President and Chief Agitator, in Which Young Newsboys Are Witnesses—Alleged Crimes Too Revolting for Print.

James Eckles, the vice-president, chairman, walking delegate and chief agitator of the Los Angeles Printing Pressmen's Union, is charged in the Police Court with a long series of the most horrifying and disgusting crimes.

The nature of the crime is such that the details may not even be hinted at. But a word to the wise—Mr. Eckles is not entirely original in the crimes with which he is charged. He had a predecessor in the distinguished Oscar Wilde.

When the complaining witnesses came to be gathered together yesterday positively a procession of little boys went into the Police Court. One or two of them were cripples, and hobbled along with the rest.

The wrongs he is alleged to have done them were committed in city parks and elsewhere. Eckles is employed in a newspaper pressroom, and thus came in contact with many newsboys.

Justice Austin dismissed one charge against him yesterday, owing to the fact that the little boy alleged to have been injured was not able to give the right dates. There are still several charges of a like character which will be pressed against Eckles in Justice Chambers's court.

Too Oily Smell.

H. M. Russell was arraigned before Justice Austin yesterday on a charge of maintaining an oil refinery outside the legal limits. As the plant in the Arroyo Seco maintained by this company is reputed to be worth $200,000 or $300,000, the company does not fancy tearing it down, and a desperate fight will be made against the charge.

Russell will be represented by two well-known law firms, and the city's interests will be prosecuted by Deputy City Attorney William Frederickson.

It was arranged to have the trial June 1, before a jury.

Declined to Sing.

About the eighth wassail bowl in a tenderloin saloon, John Milligan had a sudden conviction that his friend, John Stanley, was a fine singer if he would try.

Stanley, however, was overcome with diffidence, and declined to sing. Milligan implored him not to bury his talents, and it finally ended up with a wonderful vari-colored eye about the size of a pumpkin for Milligan. Justice Chambers fined them $10 each for fighting yesterday.

Girl Pays Fine.

There is no satisfaction at all in being a chivalrous knight in the present day. You get your eyes blacked, and the lady for whose honor you do battle has to pay your fine in the Police Court. Such was the sad experience of a meek, little Mexican brought before Justice Chambers yesterday.

His sole consolation was the appearance of the other man, who looked as though he had been run through a sausage grinder. He was big enough, however, to have eaten little Munos alive.

C. Yanes, the larger man, used to be the lover of a pretty Mexican girl, who is now the wife of Munos. The two men came together in Sonoratown yesterday, and little Munos pounded Yanes up very severely.

Justice Chambers fined Munos $1, and Yanes, the aggressor and the insulter of the woman, $25. The girl paid Munos's fine.

Thompson Weeps.

It suddenly struck E. Thompson, in the Police Court yesterday, that it was very sad that he should be drunk. It was so sad that he lifted up his voice and wept copious tears for a half hour steadily, until the justice turned up his trousers to keep out of the wet.

When his case was called he raised his head, where he had been softly sobbing behind his hat, and, in a voice sloppy with moisture, cried out: "Judge, I was drunk, and I am sorry for my miserable conduct."

"Where do you live?" asked the court; but Mr. Thompson, intent on contrition, only moaned: "I am mortally ashamed of myself."

Nothing could be got from him but tears, so the court fined him $3 and let him go. He went out weeping bitterly.

W. U. CHANGES.

Cashier Merrill Promoted to Position of Assistant Manager of Local Office.

An important change took place in the Los Angeles office of the Western Union Telegraph Company May 1, when E. B. Merrill assumed the duties of assistant manager. The position was created by Superintendent F. H. Lamb of the Pacific Coast division during his recent visit to this city, as the result of the rapid increase of business at this point. Manager E. A. Beardslee's duties were multiplying at a rate that made it imperative for him to have a trained assistant. Superintendent Lamb recognized this fact and did not have to go outside of the office or the town to find the right man for the place.

Mr. Merrill filled the position of cashier in the local Western Union office for fifteen years, during which time he earned the fullest confidence of Manager Beardslee and officials of the company. His promotion to a more responsible position after such long and faithful service, is a deserved compliment that is fully appreciated by his many friends and the patrons of the office with whom he has always dealt with unfailing courtesy.

Mr. Merrill's successor as cashier is H. R. Whittaker, a young man who has been a clerk in the office for the last six years, and who, also, has earned his promotion. Both promotions carry with them a handsome increase in salary.

The Court Would do.

Congressman Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas tells of an old negro who was charged with having stolen a hog. The facts were all against him. He had no counsel, and when the judge asked him if he wanted a lawyer assigned to him he declared that he did not.

"But you are entitled to a lawyer," the court explained, "and you might as well have the benefit of his services."

"Yoah Honor would jes' gimme some cheap white trash lawyer," the old darky replied, "and he wouldn't do me no good. If it's jes' the same to Yoah Honor I'd ruther depen' on de ign'rance ob de court."—[New York Times.

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EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

AST evening the members of the Leisure Hour Whist Club were entertained at the home of Dr. nd Mrs. M. L. Moore of Eighth and Ivarado streets. The house was rightened with high vases filled with ses and carnations, while fern balls dded a touch of green to the whole. he ladies' first prize was won by Mrs. W. Allen and the men's by Dr. hoate. After the games, refrpshents were served at the tables, and sler music and a general good time as enjoyed. Dr. and Mrs. Moore are nown for their charming hospitality nd last night was one of the most elightful evenings spent by the club. lembers present beside the host and ostess, were: Mr. and Mrs. Abner loss, Mr. and Mrs. Valentine, Mr. and Irs. William M. Garland, Mr. and Irs. Edward Magauran, Dr. and Mrs. heodore Bryant Comstock, Mr. and Irs. C. A. Canfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Voight, Ir. and Mrs. James Smith, Mr. and Irs. Woollacott, Mrs. Vinton L. litchell, Mrs. M. T. Bennett, Mrs. ampbell, Dr. Choate and Mr. Freeman. Guests of the club were Mr. and Irs. Vance, Mr. Smith and J. Danzier. Mrs. Moore was assisted during he evening by two pretty young girls n light gowns. They were Miss Lilian Moore and Miss Viola Curtis. On Monday night the club is to give a heater party at the Mason Operaouse, followed by a supper at the Anelus, and there will be speeches and oasts, and as this marks the closing of the season, a merry time is promised.

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Music and Bench Show.

Count and Mrs. Jaro von Schmidt and as their guests at the Ellery Band oncert on Thursday evening and at he bench show, Mr. and Mrs. John . Pinter, Mrs. Elizabeth R. Prewitt, Miss Evalyn Prewitt, Miss Waddiove and G. M. Chartiers.

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Informal Evening.

Mrs. Edna Cummings of No. 651 Kohler street entertained informally n Wednesday evening. The house was decorated with cut flowers and ferns, nd at the table the souvenirs were iny baskets of California wood.

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Farewell Recital.

Miss Myra May Kendall, a member f the gold-medal class of 1904, of the Southern California Institute, gave a ecital before leaving for the East to ursue her musical studies. After the rogramme, a farewell reception was endered her by the Rubinstein Society.

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Cox-Wagar Nuptials.

Wednesday evening Miss Ethel race Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Cox, and Neal D. Wagar were nited in marriage, the ceremony takng place at the home of the bride's arents, No. 223 East Thirty-second treet. The bride was attended by liss Alice Wagar, a sister of the room, as maid of honor, and the isses Blanche Clinton and Virgil ox as bridesmaids. The bride was ttired in a gown of cream nun's veiling with lace and tucks. She carried hite carnations. The attendants ore white and carried white flowrs. The house was decorated with hite carnations, roses and ferns, and uring the ceremony appropriate muic was rendered by Miss Bessie Goldmith. The ceremony was performed y Rev. E. R. Brainerd. After the ervice Mr. and Mrs. Wagar left for brief honeymoon at Catalina, after hich they will reside in a pretty litle cottage on East Eleventh street.

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Mrs. Caswell's Tea.

Mrs. George A. Caswell entertained with an informal tea yesterday afternoon for the members of the Mariborough Club and the alumnae of Marlborough School. Mrs. Caswell was assisted in receiving by her niece, Mrs. Rae Smith, her daughter, Miss Georgia Caswell, and the president of the Marlborough Club, Mrs. Thaddeus Lowe. The juniors in gowns of dainty hues served tea, while other members of the school assisted in serving the ices and cakes. The rooms were artistically decorated with red and white roses arranged about in clusters, while asparagus plumosus added a delicate bit of green to the surroundings. There were a large number of guests present, and the affair was a delightful reunion.

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Informal Whist.

The Misses Marsh of No. 222 South Beaudry avenue entertained at cards last evening. The house was artistically decorated with cut flowers and ferns, and pretty prizes were awarded the fortunate contestants. Music was discoursed during the evening and later a buffet luncheon was served. The next meeting of the club will be on Monday evening of the following week at the home of Miss Loretta Spellmeyer of Bonnie Brae street.

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Beach Luncheon.

Wednesday Miss Maude Reese Davies of Ocean Park was the hostess at her pretty little beach home on Hill street at a gathering of musicians in honor of Mrs. Charles Wellington Rand, the distinguished vocalist from New York. The guests were entertained with a delightful luncheon. The table was ornamented with scarlet carnations and ferns, and bonbons were served in shining abalone shells. Even the salt cellars were made of abalone, while each guest's place was marked with abalone-shell spoons marked with their names. Covers were laid for Mrs. Charles Wellington Rand, Mrs. J. M. Davies, Miss Blanche Rogers, Miss Maude Reese Davies, Mr. Londonier, Mr. Storck and Herbert Ritchie.

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Luncheon Series.

Mrs. Rufus H. Herron of the Coronado gave the first of a series of luncheons yesterday at the hotel where she makes her home. On Tuesday, May 10, she will entertain with a similar affair, and on the following day, in honor of Mrs. A. G. Wells, she will again entertain with a luncheon. Tuesday, the 17th inst., is the date set for the fourth affair. The dining-room where the luncheon took place is carried out in red, with black furnishings, and in harmony with this the room contained great clusters of scarlet carnations, and in the bay windows feathery fern balls were placed. The two tables at which Mrs. Herron's guests were seated were ornamented with low, cut-glass bowls of pink sweet peas with an intermingling of the fronds of maidenhair ferns. Places were marked with cards, ornamented with the monogram of the hostess. Covers were laid for Mrs. J. D. Mercereau, Mrs. A. L. Danskin, Mrs. W. J. Cochrane, Mrs. Frank Flint, Mrs. George W. King, Mrs. Lyman Stewart, Mrs. M. G. Babcock, Mrs. H. C. Gooding, Mrs. J. R. Dupuy, Mrs. Andrew Mullen, Mrs. Clifford Page, and Mrs. Irwin Herron.

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Farewell Dinner.

Mrs. J. C. Harvey of No. 1408 Bush street gave a farewell dinner last evening complimentary to Mrs. J. E. T. Buddington and her two daughters, who leave on the 24th inst. for Europe. Covers were laid for eight, and the table was artistically decorated with carnations and ferns. After the dinner vocal and instrumental music was enjoyed.

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Engagement Announced.

For some time there have been rumors of an engagement of interest to local society, when the names of Miss Lora Hubbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hubbell, and Will P. Jeffries have been linked, and the rumor is at last confirmed, though as yet no formal announcement has been made, and the date for the wedding is not set. Miss Lora is one of the most popular girls of her set, and has a wide circle of friends. Her fiancé, Mr. Jeffries, is a prominent business man, and an officer in the Immanuel Presbyterian Church.

Another engagement claiming much attention is that of Miss Alice Graves of Alhambra, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Graves of that place, to Hugh Stewart, a nephew of Henry Huntington. Miss Graves is a pretty and popular member of Los Angeles society, Hugh Stewart is also a well-known member of the social set.

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Annual Reception.

The trustees and faculty of the Los Angeles School of Art and Design have invitations out for a reception to be given on Monday evening next, at the opening of their new school building, corner of Sixth and Alvarado streets. On that occasion a number of Ellery's Royal Italian Band will discourse music on the roof garden, and there will be an exhibition of pupils' work shown. Best of all, there are to be one hundred pictures on exhibition, the work of the famous artist, J. Henry Sharp. These are pictures of Indians, showing their home life and ceremonials. Mrs. Sharp is a sister of the late Charles Byram, who was well known in Los Angeles before his death, and she is also a niece of E. J. Byram.

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Informal Tea.

Miss Hattie Sanders entertained with a delightful little tea yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D'Acheiel of No. 1109 West Adams street. The tea tables were adorned with roses and ferns, and Mrs. M. J. Connell and Mrs. William May Garland presided gracefully at the tables.

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For Miss Shankland.

Miss Elizabeth Shankland was guest of honor yesterday at a pretty luncheon given by the Misses Nellie and Mina Rowland of Eighth and Bonnie Brae streets. Decorations for the affair were in Maman Cochet roses, and places were marked with cards bearing sketches of pink roses. Covers were laid for twelve.

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Notes and Personals.

Mrs. Simon Goldbaum and her little daughter Helen have returned to their home in San Luis Rey, after a pleasant four weeks' visit with Mrs. R. Ferner and family of this city.

Last evening at Cumnock Hall the Daughters of Christ Episcopal Church gave a concert, at which an excellent programme was rendered.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Maile entertained last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fisher of Fargo, N. D., parents of Ellis Fisher, who on Thursday of next week is to wed Miss Grace Maile, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maile.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. E. W. Gilmore of No. 2007 Ocean View avenue entertained the members of the Badger Club. There was a fine musical programme given under the direction of Mrs. W. J. Scholl, and later refreshments were served.

Mrs. John V. Littig of No. 2739 Budlong avenue will entertain at dinner next Tuesday evening.

PICKPOCKETS ACTIVE.

Gang of Professionals Follows Methodist Excursions—Work on Street Cars.

A band of professional pickpockets have come out from the East with the Methodist General Conference excursion, and is relieving visitors of their cash. The rogues do their work with people who are in the act of boarding street cars. Yesterday three more cases were reported to the police.

A. C. McWorter of Charleston, W. Va., lost $100 while boarding a depot car at the corner of Spring and Fourth streets. He was with his daughters. Two young men, well dressed, jostled against them as they were taking the car. After going a block the young men pretended to find they were on the wrong car and got off before McWorter discovered his loss.

John Carroll of No. 21 Market street, San Francisco, lost a 1¾-carat diamond stud in the rush at the Santa Fé ticket office yesterday.

S. P. Tressley of No. 1116½ Orange street was relieved of a purse containing three $5 gold pieces, and other articles. The robbery occurred on a Broadway car near Fifth street just after he had boarded it for his home. It was early in the evening when the cars were crowded.

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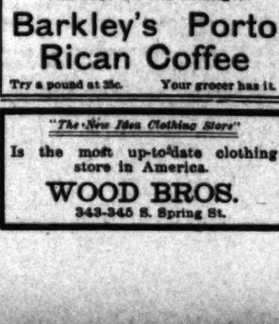

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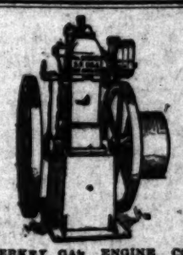

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Columbia	.20	....
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Fulerton Oil	.73½	.80
Hilbe	.95	....
Home (Whittier)	1.00	....
Hercules Oil Ref. Co.	.25	.30
Mexican Petroleum	.25	.35
Orcutt Land Company	.05½	.12
Pure Oil & Land Co.	....	.04
Potomac (Pre.)	....	.05
Reed Crude	1.40	1.50
Senator	.09	....
Turner	1.12	....
Union	25.00	28.50
Union Consolidated	....	.09½
Union Con. Oil	....	.08
Union Con. Ref. Co.	....	....
United Petroleum	86.50	100.00
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Whittier Con. Oil	.01½	.02
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Cal. Pacific Ry.	....	102.00
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	100.00
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Corona City Water Co.	....	102.00
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L. A. Traction Co.	110.50	110.00
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Los Angeles Trans. & P. Co.	....	100.00
Mt. Lowe Railway	....	92.00
Pomona & C. L. & P. Co.	....	100.00
San Antonio Water Co.	....	103.00
Pacific Light & P. Co.	90.00	94.00
Pacific Electric Railway	105.00	106.00
Pomona Con. Water Co.	....	100.00
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	102.00
Seattle Water Co.	....	100.00
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Butte Lode	15.00	23.50
Bute M. & M. Co.	....	12.00
Clarrie G. M. Co.	....	.40
Copper Glance	....	....
Gold Treasure	1.50	.20
Golden Argus	....	17.00
Green Consolidated	14.25	....
Jumbo Bell	.02½	.03½
Jumbo Bell Ext.	.15	.16
Mitchell Mining	6.25	8.00
Nevada Chief	....	.12
New Era	.03	.06
Nevada Exploration	....	.15
Peninsula M. & S. Co.	....	.08½
Quartette	10.00	14.75
Rocky Ass Tin M. Co.	....	.20
Rocky Bar M. & M. Co.	....	.01
Tonopah-California	.05	....
Yuba Elec.	.14	.19½
Wallace	.01	....

BANKS.

Description—	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$106.00	....
Broadway Bank & Trust	160.00	180.00
Citizens	160.00	180.00
Commercial	300.00	....
Commercial National	....	302.00
Home Savings Bank	117.00	....
Los Angeles Trust	115.00	....
Security Savings Bank	212.00	227.00
First National	300.00	....
German-American	225.00	....
Southern California	103.00	....
Los Angeles National	180.00	200.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	91.00	100.00
Merchants National	253.00	....
Savings Bank of Cal.	135.00	....
Union Savings Bank	205.00	....
Western Gas Savings	725.00	....
Wilmington National	104.00	112.00
Wilmington Trust	105.00	....
Title Insurance Co.	115.00	....
Pasadena National	210.00	....
Pasadena Trust	200.00	....
Pasadena Savings	150.00	....

MISCELLANEOUS.

Cal. Refined Cement Co.	....	$ 60.00
Cal. Wire Cloth	45.00	47.00
Edison Electric com.	25.00	25.00
Edison Electric pfd.	42.50	45.25
Electric Depot	43.50	47.00
Los Angeles Club	40.00	....
L. A. Brewery	102.00	103.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	....	100.00
Pacific Wireless Tel. Co.	....	2.00
Pacific Lighting	....	100.00
Pasadena Hospital	....	45.00
Pasadena Hospital	100.50	....
Progressive Life Ins. Co.	107.00	....
Title Ins. & Trust pfd.	107.00	....
Santa Ana Water Co.	37.00	....

OFFICIAL SALES. One Home Telephone bond sold yesterday for $810.

FINANCIAL TOPICS. The Wall Street summary of April 30 has a telegram from Scottdale, Pa., which says the coke surplus in that section has been greatly reduced and that the price will remain very stiff owing to coke ovens running to shorter hours.

The Union stock yards of Chicago has obtained a concession from the Mexican government to establish in Mexico City yards which will cost in the neighborhood of $300,000.

Kansas City and Topeka are to be joined by an electric railroad, which has been capitalized at $1,000,000.

The appropriations of the Congress just adjourned were $28,000,000, more than the previous year, according to Mr. Allison, chairman of the Appropriation Committee.

American linoleum manufacturers have reduced discount rates on all floor oilcloths, which is equivalent to an advance in price, says the Wall Street summary.

The Rock Island Railroad will carry its own insurance in future; having established this feature in Chicago. The saving will be enormous.

A contract for tobacco to be furnished the navy has been awarded to Messrs. Bros.' Tobacco Company, Louisville, and calls for 300,000 pounds at a total cost of $120,000. Probably it will be navy tobacco.

COMMERCIAL.

SORRENTO LEMONS. James Johnson, United States Consul at Palermo, Italy, in his report of March 1, says there is still plenty of fruit in that market for export and of good size, although the extra quality is now very scarce.

The best lemons (so called 300) are to be had from 11 to 14 lire ($2.61 to $2.93.) Good, while the common fruit can be obtained at from 8 to 10 lire ($1.93.)

Plenty of work in the packing-houses and to prepare the fruit for export is now active at this time, but the quantity destined to American ports, for various reasons, cannot be predicted.

There are no changes in freight rates to American ports, being now 1 shilling and 3 pence (30 cents) per box as at last past.

LEMON REBATES. It has been a matter of concern to many of the refining houses of New York, as well as other ports receiving Italian lemons, that the lemon rebate. Some unscrupulous brokers and dealers have been making a practice of doing the business until commission men are up in arms against the practice. They also retarded the popularity of the California fruit, no doubt, and the West Coast should take some action with their New York brothers to attempt to remedy the existing evil.

BANKS DECLINE. Owing to the Association's guarantee having expired, rasins went all to pieces and there is no set price on them at this time. It is quite likely local conditions will not be affected owing to the lateness of the season.

ONE LUMP, PLEASE. The trust has raised the ante again, and today advanced all grades of sugar ten points, including beet, which makes granulated cane $5.85 per hundredweight.

CITRUS MOVEMENT. The movement of citrus fruits for Wednesday was 166 cars of oranges and 6 cars of lemons; total up to date, 19,429.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Dressed lamb fell off 1 cent in price yesterday, other meats the same.

Eastern storage eggs are stronger, but a good many local jobbers are putting into cold storage whatever they can lay hold of, even at the stiff prices they are compelled to pay. Chicago, Kansas City and other egg centers are amassing the usual supply for storage. Reports from Middle West indicate a plentiful supply of eggs within the month.

While no change is noted on the board potatoes are very much weaker. Stocks show considerable sprouting, owing to warm weather. New stock is coming in more freely.

Blackberries and raspberries came in very light for the first time. The latter are too high for ordinary use, and may have been sent in expressly for Mr. Schwab, now due.

Strawberries are coming in rapidly. About 2000 crates were marketed yesterday. The canners are taking about one-eighth of arrivals. Prices range from 4 to 5 cents.

No fish except barracuda, rock cod and halibut, and there in light quantities.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, ranch, 23c doz.; case count, 19@20 doz.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 15c; Cal. Y. A., 16c; Cal. hand, 2s, 17; northern, 15; cheddars, eastern, 16½; Dom. Swiss, 21; limp Swiss, 26½.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, 2-lb. squares, 30; valley creamery, 29; Coast creamery, 27½; dairy, 25; cooking, 15.

BEANS—Pinks, 3.50@4.00; Lady Washington, 3.50@3.70; small white, 2.50@2.75; black eyes, 2.50@2.75; Limas, 2.75@4.00; Garbanzos, 4.00@4.25; lentils, 5.00@6.50 cwt.

DRIED FRUITS—Choice to fancy evaporated apples, 7@7½; apricots, 10@11; choice peaches, 4½; fancy peaches, 6@7c. Fancy evaporated pears, 11; pit plums, 7½@8; prunes, 3@8; raw crop Persian dates, 6½; Fards, 8½; figs, California white, box, 75@85; California black, lb., 6½; imported Smyrna, 14.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.00@2.00; London Layers, 1.90@2.00; loose, 7@8½; seed Sultanas, 6@7.

NUTS—Almonds, paper shells, 12; soft, 12½; hard, 10@11; Brazils, 13½; filberts, 12½; peanuts, eastern raw, 7@8; roasted, 9@10; choice raw, 6½@7½; California fancy raw, 5½@6; California roasted, 8½; walnuts, softshell, No. 1, 18@20; hardshells, 12.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, per lb., 7½@7½; veal, per lb., 9@11; mutton, lb., 9@10; lamb, lb., 11½; pork, lb., 8.

FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS—Flour, per bbl., local mills, 4.20@5.00; northern, 5.00; Pillsbury, 6.65; eastern low grades, 4.50@5.00; graham, 2.60@2.50; corn meal, basis 10s, 2.20; rolled barley, 1.50; cracked corn, 1.45; bran, 1.20; feed meal, 1.50.

FRESH FRUITS AND BERRIES—Lemons, per box; choice to fancy, 1.50@1.50; oranges, navels, choice to fancy, 1.00@1.75; bloods, 1.00@1.25; grape fruit, per box, 1.00@1.25; bananas, per hundred, ——; bananas, per lb., 5½; strawberries, per box, fancy, 40@——; common, 25@——; apples, fancy, 4-tier, 2.00; 4½-tier, 1.50@1.75; choice, 1.00@1.25; fancy, 50@75c; choice, 75@85; loquats, 75 box.

HONEY AND BEESWAX—Beeswax, per lb., 25@30; honey, comb, frames, 12; extracted, 6@7.

HAY AND GRAIN—Barley, per cwt., 1.25; oats, 1.40; corn, 1.40; wheat, 1.45; barley hay, choice to fancy, 12.00@17.00 per ton; oat, 12.00@17.00 per ton; wheat, 12.00@17.00 per ton; northern alfalfa, 13.00 per ton; new crop local, 12.00@13.00 per ton.

POTATOES—Salinas, 2.65; Highland, fancy, 2.50@2.65; choice, 2.00@2.30; Oregons, fancy, 2.00@2.65; Nevada Burbanks, 2.00@2.75; Woodward Islands, 2.50@2.40; Hemets, 2.00@2.75.

ONIONS—Nevada, fancy, 4.00@4.50 per cwt.; Australian, 4½@5.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, cwt., 75; cabbage, 75@1.00 cwt.; carrots, 20 dozen; green chiles, per lb., 15@22; dry chiles, per string, 60@80; lettuce, 15 doz.; parsnips, 1.15 cwt.; peas, 2½@3; radishes, 20@30; garlic, 3@4; watercress, 35; spinach, 30; tomatoes, 75@1.50 crate; string beans, per lb., 7; turnips, 1.10; asparagus, 7@9; new potatoes, 2½@3; egg plant, 10c lb.; new onions, 1@2½ dozen.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition, as follows: Hens, per lb., 14@15; ducks, 14@15; turkeys, 16@18; geese, 10@12; broilers, 25@30; fryers, 22. Selling prices per lb., dressed, old roosters, 12; old hens, 16@20; young roosters, 25@30; broilers, per doz., 2.50@4.00; fryers, 3.50@ lb. live turkeys, 25, ducks, 18@20 lb.; geese, 18 lb.

PROVISIONS — Lard, pure, per lb., fleece basis, Silver Leaf, 8½; Reg. 9, White Label, 9½; Orange Blossom, 9½; Compound lard, per lb., fleece basis, 6½@7.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14½; Winchester, 13½; Premium, 13½; Gold Band, 12½.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., bellies, 11; short clears, 10@12½; clear backs, 11@12½.

DRIED BEEF—Hinides, 15½@16½.

PICKLED PORK—27.00 bbl.

BREAKFAST BACON—Rex, 15½; Winchester, 15½; Empire, 14½; Premium, 19; Diamond "C," 18; 66'er, 17½; Gold Band, 18.

SUGAR—(Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs., 1bls. 10c, ½ bls. 25c, boxes 50c, 50-lb. sacks 10c per cwt. higher.) Beet, 5.75; cane, 5.55; cubes, 6.10; powdered, 5.95; confectioners' A, 5.85; Extra C, 5.25; Golden C, 5.25; "D," 5.15; Magnolia "A," 5.45; rabbets, ½ bbl., 6.55; tablets, boxes, 6.60.

NEW YORK MARKETS.
SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—The sluggishness and narrowness of the stock market was even more notable today than on previous days this week. The movement of prices was so slight as to offer little basis for comment. United States Steel preferred was somewhat relieved from the pressure to which it has been recently subjected, and Pennsylvania was rather freely sold, with the dividend off. There was only such small buying of stocks as seemed necessary to prevent the sagging tendency that is normal to a stagnant market. Such developments as there were offered nothing to stimulate any revival of speculation. Some attention was paid to the reported hitch in the plan for payment for the Panama Canal, but the matter was regarded as concerning the parties to the contract in questions of technical detail, rather than the general money situation. The winding-up of the United States Steel stock convention syndicate involved additional calls upon the money market to meet the assessment, besides releasing a block of bonds that may offer, neither of which incidents is capable of an interpretation in favor of the market. The news from London of the flotation of a Japanese loan of $50,000,000, of which New York is expected to take half, was accepted as another evidence of a real abundance of capital resources here, and the money market was quite unaffected by these prospective claims upon it. The intimation that the proceeds of the loan are to be left on deposit here, with a view to their ultimate expenditure in our markets, was a modifying factor in the news of the loan. The advance in refined sugar was taken as explanatory of yesterday's strength in sugar, but it was not followed up today. Railroads reporting weekly gross earnings showed declines without exception for the fourth week in April. Prices receded late in the day under offerings by tired holders, but the decline did not proceed far. The day's net changes were trivial losses. There was more variety in the bond market than in stocks, but the total was irregular. Total sales, $2,420,000. United States old 4s coupon declined ⅛ per cent. on call.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. Shoe M. pfd.	39
Call loans	2@3½	U. S. Steel	10
Time loans	3@4½	U. S. Steel pfd.	74
Bonds—		West'house Com.	73
Atchison, Adj. 4s	*91	Mining—	
Atchison 4s	100½	Adventure	7
Mex. Cen. 4s	**66½	Allouez	5
Railroads—		Amalgamated	74
Atchison	73½	American Zinc	7½
Atchison pfd.	93½	Arcadian	7½
Boston & A.	**247	Bingham	**30
Boston & Maine	188	C. & Hecla	525@5
Boston Elevated	140	Centennial	19½
Fitchburg pfd.	135	Copper Range	83½
Mexican Central	7½	Daly West	20½
N. Y. N. H. & H.	188	Dominion Coal	21
Pere Marquette	75½	Franklin	7½
Union Pacific	94½	Granby	38
Miscellaneous—		Isle Royale	25
Am. Agric. Chem.	14½	Mass. Mining	4
A. A. Chem. pfd.	71½	Mohawk	62
Am. Pneu. Tube	4½	Nevada Con. & C.	21½
Am. Sugar	127½	Old Dominion	30
Am. Sugar pfd.	138	Osceola	77
Am. Tel. & Tel.	126	Parrot	24
Am. Woolen	30	Quincy	81
Am. Woolen pfd.	91	Shannon	9½
Dom. I. & S.	9½	Tamarack	50
Edison Elec. Ills.	226	Trinity	15½
Gen. Electric	138	U. S. Mining	50½
Mass. Electric	19½	U. S. Oil	9½
Mass. Elec. pfd.	72½	Utah	38½
Mass. Gas	97½	Victoria	3
United Fruit	107½	Winona	4½
U. Shoe Mach.	49½	Wolverine	71

*Bid. **Asked.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Close—Money on call easy, 1½@1½ per cent.; closing bid, 1½ per cent.; offered 1½ per cent. Time loans were firmer; sixty days, 2½ per cent.; ninety days, 2½ per cent.; six months, 2@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange was easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84 9-10@4.84 19-20 for demand, and at 4.84 9-10@4.84 19-20 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, 4.85½@4.86 and 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.84½@4.84¾. Bar silver, 54¾. Mexican dollars, 42½c. Bonds, government, easy; railroad, irregular.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing bid.
Atchison	34,700	72¾	72½	72¾
Atchison pfd	40	95	95¾	95½
Baltimore & Ohio	2,500	108½	108	108
Bt. & O. pfd.	100	90½	90½	90½
Canadian Pacific	100	117¾	117¾	117¾
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	187
Chesapeake & Ohio	....	....	....	50½
Chicago & Alton	100	37½	37½	37½
Chicago & Alton pfd.	....	....	....	81
Chicago & G. W.	300	16	15¾	15¾
Chicago & N. W.	200	171¾	171¾	170
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	6,600	143¾	142¾	142¾
C., M. & St. P. pfd.	....	....	....	176
Chicago Ter. & Transp.	....	....	....	9½
Chicago T. & T. pfd.	....	....	....	18
C., C., C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	73
Colorado Southern	100	15¾	15¾	15¾
Colo. So. 1st pfd.	....	....	....	25½
Colo. So. 2nd pfd.	100	22½	22½	22½
Delaware & Hudson	400	157½	157	156
Del., Lack. & Western	....	....	....	260½
Denver & Rio Grande	....	....	....	30¾
D. & R. G. pfd.	....	....	....	67½
Erie	1,700	24¾	24¾	24½
Erie 1st pfd.	500	43¾	43¾	43¼
Erie 2nd pfd.	....	....	....	31½
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	66
Hocking Valley pfd.	100	73¾	73¾	73
Illinois Central	200	130	130	129½
Iowa Central	100	18½	18½	18
Iowa Central pfd.	....	....	....	34
Kansas City Southern	....	....	....	17¾
K. C. Southern pfd.	....	....	....	39¾
Louisville & Nashville	500	107¾	107¾	107¾
Manhattan L.	....	....	....	142½
Metropolitan Securities	....	....	....	75¾
Metropolitan St. Ry.	5,100	110¾	109	109¾
Minn. & St. Louis	....	....	....	42
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	1,800	42¾	41¾	42
Minn., St. Paul pfd.	100	118	118	117
Missouri Pacific	800	92¾	91¾	91½
Missouri, Kan. & Tex.	....	....	....	17
M., K. & T. pfd.	....	....	....	39½
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd.	....	....	....	29¾
New York Central	400	115¾	115	115
Norfolk & Western	700	57	56¾	56¾
Norfolk & Western pfd.	....	....	....	81
Ontario & Western	600	21½	21½	21½
*Pennsylvania	43,800	115¾	114	114¾
P., C. C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	96
Reading	2,200	43¾	43¼	43¼
Reading 1st pfd.	200	75¾	75½	75½
Reading 2nd pfd.	....	....	....	69½
Rock Island Co.	7,900	25½	25¼	25¾
Rock Island Co. pfd.	7,700	66½	65	65¾
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd.	600	....	....	47¾
St. Louis, S. W.	200	13½	13¼	13
St. L., S. W. pfd.	1,150	24	23	23
Southern Pacific	3,900	47¾	47	47¾
Southern Railway	2,800	21¾	21¼	21¾
Southern Railway pfd.	1,300	83¾	83¾	84
Texas & Pacific	....	....	....	22¾
Toledo, St. L. & W.	100	27½	27½	25¾
T., St. L. & W. pfd.	100	79	79	78½
Union Pacific	22,200	95¾	94¾	94½
Union Pacific pfd.	....	....	....	84
Wabash	....	....	....	18
Wabash pfd.	200	37¾	37¾	37½
Wheeling & Lake Erie	....	....	....	17¾
Wisconsin Central	100	17¾	17¾	17¾
Wisconsin Central pfd.	400	39	39	39
Mexican Central	400	7¾	7¼	7¼
Express Companies—				
Adams	....	....	....	220
American	....	....	....	160
United States	....	....	....	103
Wells-Fargo	....	....	....	203
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	17,100	48¼	47½	47¾
Am. Car & Foundry	400	37¾	37	36¾
Am. C. & F. pfd.	100	71	71	70
American Cotton Oil	....	....	....	37½
Am. Cotton Oil pfd.	....	....	....	89
American Ice	....	....	....	18¾
American Ice pfd.	200	29	28	27½
American Linseed Oil	....	....	....	14¾
Am. Linseed Oil pfd.	....	....	....	28
American Locomotive	....	....	....	18½
Am. Locomotive pfd.	200	92	92	91¾
Am. Smelting & Ref.	100	48¾	48¾	48¾
Am. S. & R. pfd.	100	91¾	91¾	91¾
Am. Sugar Refining	7,400	127¾	127¼	127¾
Anaconda Mining Co.	400	76	76	75
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	2,000	46¾	45¾	45¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	....	....	....	37½
Consolidated Gas	300	203½	203½	200
Corn Products	100	12¾	12¾	12¾
Corn Products pfd.	100	70¾	70¾	70¾
Distillers' Securities	....	....	....	44½
General Electric	100	137	137	137½
International Paper	....	....	....	11
Int'l Paper pfd.	....	....	....	66
International Pump	....	....	....	44¾
Int'l Pump pfd.	....	....	....	98
National Lead	500	17¾	16¾	17¼
North American	100	84¾	84¾	84½
Pacific Mail	300	37¾	37	37
People's Gas	500	97¼	97	97
Pressed Steel Car	....	....	....	27
Pressed Steel Car pfd.	100	76	76	69½
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	210
Republic Iron & Steel	200	18¾	18¾	18¾
Republic Steel pfd.	400	42	41¾	41¾
Rubber Goods	....	....	....	12½
Rubber Goods pfd.	....	....	....	78½
Penn. Salt & Iron	200	82¾	82¾	82¾
U. S. Leather	300	8¾	8¾	8¾
U. S. Leather pfd.	....	....	....	79½
U. S. Realty	2,200	75	7	74
U. S. Realty pfd.	200	96	96	96
United States Rubber	2,100	17¾	16¾	16¾
U. S. Rubber pfd.	200	67	66¾	66½
United States Steel	400	104	10	10
U. S. Steel pfd.	17,200	53¾	53¼	53¾
Western Electric	200	152	155	154
Western Union	....	....	....	93
Total sales for day	187,900			

*Ex-dividend.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	105	Man. Con. G. 4s	103¾
U. S. R. 2s coup.	105	Mex. Cen. 4s	*87¾
U. S. 3s reg.	108	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	43
U. S. 3s coup.	108	M. & St. L. 4s	98¾
U. S. n. 4s reg.	132½	M., K. & T. 4s	96¾
U. S. n. 4s coup.	132½	M., K. & T. 2ds	70¾
U. S. old 4s reg.	107	Mex. Nat'l Ry. 4s	74
U. S. old 4s coup.	107	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	99
Atchison, Gen. 4s	100½	N. Y. C. Gen. 5s	130½
Atchison, Adj. 4s	91¾	N. P. 3s	72½
Atlantic C. L. 4s	94¾	N. P. 3s	72½
B. & O. 4s	101	N. & W. Con. 4s	78
B. & O. 3½s	94¾	Oregon S. L. 6s	94¾
Can. of Ga. 5s	109½	Pa. Conv. 3½s	98¾
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	72	Reading Gen. 4s	89¾
C. & O. 4½s	102¾	St. L. & I. M. 5s	111¾
C. & A. 5½s	77¾	St. L. & S. F. 6s	124½
C., B. & Q. 4s	94¾	St. L. & S. F. 4s	82½
C., M. & St. P. 4s	89	Seaboard A. L. 4s	68
C. & N. W. 7s	127¾	So. Pacific 4s	91¼
C. R. I. & P. 4s	71	So. Railway 5s	114¾
C. R. I. & P. 5s	111¾	T. & P. 1sts	113½
C., C. C. & St. L.	100¾	T. St. L. & W.	104
Chicago Ter. 4s	103	Union Pacific 4s	105
Con. Tob. 4s	59	U. P. Conv. 4s	97¼
Colo. & So. 4s	93½	Utah 1st 5s	102½
D. & R. G. 4s	90	Wabash Deb. B.	67¼
Erie prior lien 4s	95¾	W. & L. E. 4s	86¾
Erie gen. 4s	84¾	Wis. Cen. 4s	90¾
Fort Worth 1sts	107½	C. F. & I.	73
Mo. K. & T. 4s	87¾		
L. & N. Un. 4s	103¾		

*Offered.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Today's statement of the Treasury shows: Available cash balance, $218,755,802; gold, $114,996,911.

London Silver.

LONDON, May 5.—Consols, 89 11-16; silver, 25 3-16d.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKET.
GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, May 5.—In spite of favorable weather in the Southwest, a bullish feeling pervaded the wheat pit at the opening. Initial sales were made at a trifle lower price than yesterday's close. Toward the middle of the session, operators received inspiration from a report of an expert who claimed that the wheat crop of eight States east of the Rockies would be decreased 60,000,000 bushels from that of a year ago. Heavy buying of July continued throughout the greater part of the session, and the market closed strong. Final figures on July were 85½, after the price had reached 85¾@85⅞. An improved demand was responsible for a firm tone in corn today. July closed ½c higher, at 48½@48⅝. Oats ruled firm in sympathy with other grains. The market closed steady, a shade higher, with July at 33. Provisions were strong. The market closed firm, with July pork up 7½c; lard unchanged, and ribs 2½c higher.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—	Closing.
May	85¾
July (old)	85⅝
July (new)	85¾
September (old)	81½@81¾
September (new)	80¾@80⅞
Corn, No. 2—	
May	46¾
July	48½
September	48¼
Oats, No. 2—	
May	41¾
July	33⅝@33⅞
September	30½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was barely steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 86@87; No. 3, 83@92; No. 2 red, 1.00@1.02; No. 2 corn, 49@50; No. 2 yellow, 48½@49; No. 2 oats, 33½@41½; No. 3 white, 41½@44; No. 2 rye, 70; good feeding barley, 25@27; fair to choice malting, 47@54; No. 1 flax seed, 1.01; No. 1 northwestern, 1.06½; prime timothy seed, 2.87½; mess pork, per bbl., 11.62½@11.70; lard, per 100 lbs., 6.87½@6.90; short ribs, sides (loose,) 6.12½@6.25; short clear sides (boxed,) 6.50@6.75; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.23; clover, contract grade, 10.75.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	17,600	13,100
Wheat, bushels	22,400	14,500
Corn, "	115,500	198,200
Oats, "	51,300	118,700
Rye, "	2,000	2,500
Barley, "	23,500	7,100

Dairy Market.

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was weaker; creamery, 16@21; dairy, firmer; sixty days, 3¼ per cent.; ninety days, 3¾ per cent.; six months, 3@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange was easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84 9-10@4.84 19-20 for demand, and at 4.84 9-10@4.84 19-20 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, 4.85¼@4.86 and 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.84¼@4.84¾. Bar silver, 54¾. Mexican dollars, 42½c. Bonds, government, easy; railroad, irregular.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing bid.
Atchison	34,700	72¾	72¼	72¾
Atchison pfd	40	95	95¾	95½
Baltimore & Ohio	2,500	108½	108¾	108¾
Bt. & O. pfd.	100	90½	90½	90½
Canadian Pacific	100	117¾	117¼	117¾
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	187
Chesapeake & Ohio	....	....	....	50½
Chicago & Alton	100	37½	37¼	37¾
Chicago & Alton pfd.	....	....	....	81
Chicago & G. W.	300	16	15¾	15¾
Chicago & N. W.	200	171¾	171¾	170
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	6,600	143¾	142¾	142¾
C., M. & St. P. pfd.	....	....	....	176
Chicago Ter. & Transp.	....	....	....	9¼
Chicago T. & T. pfd.	....	....	....	18
C., C., C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	73
Colorado Southern	100	15¾	15¾	15¾
Colo. So. 1st pfd.	....	....	....	25¾
Colo. So. 2nd pfd.	100	22½	22½	22½
Delaware & Hudson	400	157½	157	156
Del., Lack. & Western	....	....	....	260½
Denver & Rio Grande	....	....	....	30¾
D. & R. G. pfd.	....	....	....	67½
Erie	1,700	24¾	24¾	24½
Erie 1st pfd.	500	43¾	43¾	43¼
Erie 2nd pfd.	....	....	....	31½
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	66
Hocking Valley pfd.	100	73¾	73¾	73
Illinois Central	200	130	130	129½
Iowa Central	100	18½	18½	18
Iowa Central pfd.	....	....	....	34
Kansas City Southern	....	....	....	17¾
K. C. Southern pfd.	....	....	....	39¾
Louisville & Nashville	500	107¾	107¾	107¾
Manhattan L.	....	....	....	142½
Metropolitan Securities	....	....	....	75¾
Metropolitan St. Ry.	5,100	110¾	109	109¾
Minn. & St. Louis	....	....	....	42

AUTOMEN TO BUILD ROAD.

Constructionists Score in Club's Meeting.

Obstructionists Lose in the Final Vote.

Del Rey Project to be Sent Through Speedily.

Con-structionists and ob-structionists held a merry tilt at the Automobile Club's meeting last night—and the con-structionists won.

The Shakespearean question, "to be or not to be," relating to the proposed Del Rey road was the bone of contention. For some time a considerable element in the club, numbering some of the highest officers in the organization, has strenuously opposed spending the funds, raised ostensibly for good roads, upon the Del Rey project which was admittedly the most feasible way of putting this public trust into operation. It will be remembered the automobile meeting of last year which netted between $4000 and $5000 was billed as a "good-roads" meeting, and the proceeds were to be devoted to improving the country thoroughfares or such of them as might be expedient. Just what disposition other than this was to be made with the money was never made very clear to the con-structionists; whether junkets at the club's expense were contemplated or something more worthy was meant is still only food for conjecture.

Last night the constructionists, under the able leadership of Charles Wellborn and Frank A. Garbutt, met the ob-structionists in pitched parliamentary battle, and the ob-structionists finally capitulated, after a 19 to 11 vote, by agreeing to make it unanimous, quite a pretty thing to do, considering they had lost anyway. The resolution as passed has still a string to it. The wording, in substance, provides that the lower three and a half miles of road running up from the beach be built thirty feet wide as soon as $8000 is available for the purpose. Frank Garbutt, in the meeting, testified that this much of the work could be done for that sum, also that he, as treasurer, has nearly that much in sight. So now work is to begin as soon as the $8000 can be brought into action.

The best of feeling was maintained throughout the meeting; the argument was of a verbal and not too personal nature. Some idea of the fight the con-structionists had may be gathered from the fact that the Automobile Club of Southern California was in session from about 7:30 to practically midnight.

Some of the con-structionists are inclined to give Frank Garbutt entire credit for the victory but beyond saying that he had always been anxious to see the Del Rey road built, Mr. Garbutt refused to be interviewed on the matter, dismissing the subject by stating that many others in the club had been quite as earnest as he.

MRS. ED. SMITH FOUND DEAD.

CUP OF POISON BY HER SIDE TELLS STORY.

Husband Makes Terrible Discovery When Returning Home—She Had Been in Ill Health and Melancholy for Long Time—Leaves Note Asking Forgiveness.

Ed. Smith, formerly on the police force and later assistant chief of the fire department, returned home yesterday afternoon to find his wife dead in bed with a poison cup lying by her side.

The door of her room was locked, and he found his little daughter, just home from school standing on a box trying to peep into the room.

On the table in the living-room, he found this piteous note scribbled on a stamped envelope: "Good-by, my dearest hubby. Take care of Ruth and don't be mad at me for doing this deed. I will not be any more trouble to you."

Mrs. Smith evidently killed herself in despair on account of her ill health. She endured an operation not long ago which reduced her from a robust woman of 176 pounds to 117 pounds. She felt that the doctors were doing her no good; that her case was hopeless.

Smith had for weeks feared some terrible result of the fit of prolonged melancholy into which she had sunk. A short time ago, he found that his revolver had been disturbed and missed two cartridges that had been taken.

Yesterday they went down town together in the morning, Mrs. Smith going to visit her sister, Mrs. L. J. Baudioun at No. 236 Towne avenue. About noon Smith telephoned to her, but found she had gone home, to No. 1622 Hoover street. He felt a strange uneasiness about her, and went home early—about 4 o'clock.

The fact that the door and windows of his wife's room were locked filled him with apprehension at once, as it was her custom to leave the front windows open when she went out. He forced the door and found her lying on the bed fully dressed, with her hands clutched across her breast, and her form drawn rigid as though she had died in a convulsion.

On a trunk near the bed was his pistol with the two cartridges she had taken on the previous occasion. By the side of the bed on the floor lay a tumbler containing what is believed to have been oxalic acid. The pistol had not been fired.

She was 41 years old, and had been married happily to her husband for eighteen years. Their daughter is 9.

Smith is a well-known horseman here, having been announcer at Ascot. The inquest will be held today at Breseee's.

BALLERINO JAILED.

Notorious Ex-Crib King and His Henchman, Wiot, Must Now Serve Their Sentences.

Bartolo Ballerino, ex-king of the cribs, and his henchman, Joseph Wiot, are in the City Jail. They were taken in late yesterday afternoon on writs of attachment and will be kept on the chain gang or doing menial work at the station until they have served out their sentences of thirty days each.

Ballerino balked when he learned that he must go to jail and pay a fine of $500 in addition. Soon after Judge Smith's decision, Ballerino tried to hide himself the while he was making hurried preparations for a trip to Mexico. He deserted his old lodgings in his infamous cribs and took up a temporary abode at No. 445 Jackson street in a house he owns.

Ballerino pleaded hard to escape a jail sentence, saying he is old and jail life will kill him. He objected strenuously to riding in the patrol wagon and wanted to have his hired man take him to the station. Wiot was found in a saloon and taken to jail.

Ballerino and Wiot may escape the chain gang, as the former is old and physically in no condition to do manual labor, while the latter is a cripple. Ballerino took a penal code to jail with him and says he will study his own case from a legal point of view during his incarceration.

GOOD SCORES IN PRACTICE.

GUN CLUB'S BIG BLUE-ROCK SHOOT OPENS TODAY.

Heavy Turnout of Visitors in Sight, Many Familiar Faces on Hand Yesterday—Straight Scores and Long Run by Van Valkenburg. Today's Card.

Though the sixteenth semi-annual blue-rock tournament of the Los Angeles Gun Club is not billed to begin until this morning at 9:30, it virtually started yesterday afternoon, when twenty of the local and visiting trigger knights tried their hand and eye upon the new combination which has been installed at the Sherman grounds. That the new Leggett trap is no devil was proved by Fred Mills of Bolsa, who in practice knocked off fifty straight on it, as well as by Charlie Van Valkenburg, who after he got the hang of the new affair started a long run with twenty-five straight in his second string and kept a-coming until sixty-one consechtive breaks had been tallied to his credit. Most of the other shooters had a little trouble with the new blue-rock machine at first, owing to its rather snappy delivery, but once under way the birds travel about the same as those thrown from the Expert traps, and are no harder to pulverise.

While not all the visiting shooters are on hand, enough reported yesterday to assure a big turnout today, only five of the twenty being local men. W. H. Varian of Pacific Grove, "the man with the red shirt;" "Pop" Carr of Monterey, both the Julians, Hibbard of Manvel, Stone of Fresno, Gus Knight, Work, and Harrison from up north, the advance guard of the San Francisco delegation which is to arrive this morning, were on hand.

Four pools of twenty-five birds each were shot off, a hundred birds in all. The first fifty were on the Leggett trap, the last two strings on the Experts. Scores were as follows:

Name—	1.	2.	3.	4.	Total P.C.
Vaughan	21	24	24	21	90
Seaver	24	23	20	23	86
Varian	24	21	20	23	88
Work	20	16	25	16	87
Harrison	21	19	23	19	..
Mills	25	25	21	..	..
Lovelace	24	18	24	23	89
Stone	21	22	23	21	86
W. Julian	21	20	20	19	80
Knight	20	..	..	..	..
Carr	18	19	15	17	69
Van	21	23	23	22	90
Arnold	18	20	..	..	..
G. Julian	18	18	..	..	..
Hibbard	16	19	21	16	72
Justiss	21	21	20	21	83
Erhardt	22	18	..	..	..
Reed	17	21	21	12	81
Hall	15	..	..	..	..
Robinson	..	22	21	..	..

The two-man team championship is the feature today, twenty-five birds per man. With the exception of the opening event at 10 birds, with $5 added, the rest of the card is made up of 15-bird events with $10 added. The shoot is one of these delightful affairs where everybody kicks the same board, i. e., shoots from scratch. About thirty shooters are expected for the opening; more will be on hand Saturday and the big crowd will probably materialize Sunday.

GUTTED BY FIRE.

Early Morning Blaze on Central Avenue—Narrow Escape of Bennett Family.

A fire at No. 2201 Central avenue at 1:20 o'clock this morning, gutted a two-story frame building, and caused a property loss of about $3000.

The building was occupied by the grocery store of Clark & Martin and Ed Doring, a butcher, on the ground floor. Upstairs Edward Bennett resided with his family. Bennet and his wife narrowly escaped with their lives.

The fire started in Doring's butcher shop, and is supposed to have been caused by imperfect insulation. For a while the flames smoldered and then suddenly burst out, enveloping the entire building. The contents of the two stores was practically ruined by fire and water. Doring had no insurance, but Clark & Martin and the Curtis estate, owning the building, were insured.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

A proposition to memorialize Congress in behalf of Canadian reciprocity was defeated yesterday in the Massachusetts House of Representatives.

The German Mail steamer Kurfurst, from Zanzibar, April 14, is ashore four miles northward of Sagres. The forehold of the steamer is full of water and her position is dangerous.

At Paris M. Waldeck Rousseau, former Premier of France, was successfully operated upon yesterday for a malady of the liver.

An explosion of a gasoline tank in the freight yards of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Thirteenth and Market streets, Philadelphia, early yesterday, by which twelve firemen were burned, was followed by a riot among Italian emigrants. Assistant Chief Waters of the fire department was seriously burned.

The Venezuelan Congress, after having declared itself a constitutional assembly, yesterday conferred on Gen. Castro full dictatorial powers for one year, with the title of provisional president. Gen. Valle was appointed second vice-president.

Making a misstep while walking on the edge of a vast cauldron of boiling metal, Hainey Anderson, an employe of the Illinois Steel Company at South Chicago, clung for life to the edge yesterday, while his feet burned off. Then his strength gone, he slipped with a shriek into the seething mass below. In a few moments his body was literally consumed.

A newsboy waif who has had two free rides across the Atlantic, is being held at Ellis Island by the immigration officials. They have been compelled to refer his case to the department at Washington because it lacks precedent. The lad, Samuel Morganlander, is 7 years of age.

The plague has broken out among the Chinese collected at Kowloon for transportation to the Transvaal mines. The charters of steamers engaged to convey the coolies have consequently been canceled. The news caused a serious drop in Kaffirs on the London Stock Exchange.

Announcement is made that the price of ice in Chicago is to be higher this year, not in spite of the rigorous winter, but because of it. The ice companies claim the product was so extremely thick and difficult to cut that they spent more than the usual amount of money for labor and are forced to raise the price to consumers.

Meager infromation from the William Spencer Railroad camp on the Indianapolis Southern Railroad, near Union Valley, indicates that two men were killed, two fatally and three seriously injured. A dozen or more men were working in a tunnel over a charge of dynamite, placing it in position when the explosion occurred. All the men killed or wounded are foreigners.

Many title personages have attended the auction sale of a casket of jewels, 122 in number, says a New York Herald dispatch from London. The gems were announced as the property of a nobleman, but, according to the correspondent, it was an open secret that they were put up for sale by the Marquis of Anglesey. The sum of $114,940 was realized, the highest individual price being $20,000.

Morris K. Jessup was reelected president of the New York Chamber of Commerce yesterday. A letter from Secretary Cortelyou of the Department of Labor and Commerce, stating that, in accordance with the suggestion of the chamber, every facility would be afforded those Chinese who are exempt to enter the country for the purpose of attending the St. Louis Exposition, was read.

TRAINING STATION TO MOVE.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As the result of the investigations it has made, the Navy Department will probably move its naval training station from Goat Island, in San Francisco Harbor, to San Diego. The Moser board of investigation, which looked into the proposed change, has made its investigation, and in a report to the Navy Department says that the proposed site at San Diego is a good place for the proposed station.

At the Navy Department today, it was said, that the department will ask Congress to make an appropriation authorizing the transfer to be made. The first appropriation wanted is for barracks, and this will be especially asked for at the next session of Congress.

OBITUARY.

Joseph Stillwell Cain.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Joseph Stillwell Cain, known as the father of the Mardi Gras, is dead here, aged 72 years. In 1865, he turned onto the streets of Mobile the first Mardi Gras parade. The celebration went from that city to New Orleans.

Eugene Canfield.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Eugene Canfield, a well-known comedian, is dead here of pneumonia. His principal work in recent years has been in the Hoyt farces.

Maurus Jokai.

BUDAPEST, May 5.—Maurus Jokai, the Hungarian novelist, died tonight from inflammation of the lungs, aged 79 years.

Franz Von Lembach.

MUNICH, May 5.—Franz von Lembach, the famous historical and portrait painer and President of the Munich Artists' Association, is dead.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, MAY 5.

Steamer South Bay, Capt. Jameson, from Eureka, via Santa Barbara.
Steamer Robert Dollar, Capt. Johnson, 5½ days from Anacortes.
Steamer Coronado, Capt. Peterson, from Eureka.
Steamer Samoa, Capt. Madsen, 3 days from Caspar.
Schooner Maid of Orleans, Capt. Maloney, 15 days from Seattle.

SAILED—THURSDAY, MAY 5.

Steamer Iaqua, Capt. Jorgensen, for San Francisco.
Steamer San Gabriel, Capt. Green, for Eureka.
Steamer Alcazar, Capt. Winkel, for San Francisco.
Schooner Willie R. Hume, for Ballard, in ballast.
Schooner Melrose, Capt. McCarron, for Gray's Harbor, in ballast.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

THURSDAY, MAY 5.

Steamer South Bay, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Robert Dollar, S.W. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Coronado, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Centralia, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer W. H. Kruger, Salt Lake R. R. wharf.
Steamer Nome City, S. P., L. A. & S. L. wharf.
Steamer Honolulu, Southern Pacific wharf.
Steamer Melville Dollar, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.
British ship Wray Castle, anchored Outer Harbor.
British bark Hawthornbank, S. P. L. A. & S. L. wharf.
Tug Liberty, Southern Pacific wharf.
British ship Cleomene, S. P., L. A. & S. L. wharf.
Barkentine Gardiner City, Southern Pacific wharf.
Barkentine Portland, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Barkentine Charles F. Crocker, Southern California L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Manila, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Zampa, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Carrier Dove, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner C. M. Kellogg, South. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Alpha, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Novelty, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Mabel Cale, Inman-Paison L. Co. wharf.
Schooner E. B. Jackson, Inman-Paison L. Co. wharf.
Schooner George C. Perkins, Southwestern wharf.
Schooner James A. Garfield, L. W. Blinn L. Co. wharf.
Schooner James Ralph, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Robert Searles, anchored Outer Harbor.
Schooner Columbia, Stimson M. & L. Co. wharf.
Schooner E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Excelsior, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Balboa, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Charles F. Falk, Ganahl L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Aggie, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Maid of Orleans, So. Pacific wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer J. S. Higgins, from San Francisco.
Steamer Santa Cruz, from San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Samoa, from Caspar, via San Francisco.
Steamer W. H. Kruger, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Steamer Coronado, from Aberdeen, via San Francisco.
Schooner William Renton, from Bellingham.
Schooner Alice McDonald, from Portland.
Schooner Charles R. Wilson, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Winslow, from Everett.
Schooner Bertha Dohlbeer, from Eureka.
Schooner Salem, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Fred E. Sanders, from Aberdeen.
Steamer J. S. Higgins, from San Francisco.

SCHEDULED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

German ship Asia, from Antwerp, out 157 days.
German ship Bertha, from Antwerp, loading.

TO LEAVE—FRIDAY, MAY 6.

Steamer Chehalis, Capt. Aufinsen, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.
Barkentine Charles F. Crocker, Capt. Dwars, for Everett, in ballast.

SATURDAY, May 7.—Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Alberts, for San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer W. H. Kruger, Capt. Bowdich, for San Francisco.
Steamer Robert Dollar, Capt. Johnson, for San Francisco.
Steamer South Bay, Capt. Jamieson, for Eureka, via San Francisco.
Steamer Nome City, for Portland.
WEDNESDAY, May 11.—Steamer Bonita, Capt. Gielow, for San Francisco and way ports.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Eventias, Portland.
Steamer South Coast, Caspar.
Steamer Bonita, San Francisco.
Steamer Lakme, Eureka.
Steamer Chehalis, Willapa.
Steamer Grace Dollar, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Santa Monica, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Marshfield, Eureka.
Barkentine Robert Sudden, Aberdeen.
Barkentine Newsboy, Eureka.
Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.
Schooner C. F. Holmes, Tacoma.
Schooner Muriel, Aberdeen.
Schooner Salvator, Everett.
Schooner Bertie Minor, Eureka.
Schooner Alvena, Port Townsend.
Schooner William Nottingham, Port Townsend.
Schooner J. H. Coleman, Anacortes.
Schooner Lottie Bennett, Victoria.
Schooner Marion, Aberdeen.
Schooner Lucy, Umpqua.
Schooner Mauweema, Port Townsend.
Schooner Taurus, Seattle.
Schooner S. T. Alexander, Tacoma.
Schooner Eeulah, Umpqua.
Schooner Caroline, Umpqua.
Schooner Sadie, Umpqua.
Schooner C. S. Holmes, Astoria.
Schooner Louise, Umpqua.
Schooner Olga, Eureka.
Schooner Mary Dodge, Eureka.
Schooner Irene, Astoria.
Schooner King Cyrus, Bellingham.
Schooner Irene, Astoria.
Schooner Ludlow, Port Hadlock.
Schooner Lottie Carson, Eureka.
Schooner Manila, Astoria.
Schooner Watson A. West, Aberdeen.
Schooner Wawona, South Bend.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily tripe to Santa Catalina Island and return.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

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Launch Vittoria, Capt. Palconi, from Newport, with 1000 pounds halibut.
Launch Columbia, Capt. Mavcolo, from Catalina, with 1200 pounds barracuda.
Launch Advance, Capt. Dimock, from Catalina, with 600 pounds barracuda.

SAILED.

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Launch Fashion, for Long Beach.
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TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Friday,	May 6	1:20 a.m.	8:22 a.m.
		4:02 p.m.	9:23 p.m.
Saturday,	" 7	2:45 a.m.	9:24 a.m.
		4:49 p.m.	10:47 p.m.
Sunday,	" 8	4:06 a.m.	10:16 a.m.
		5:24 p.m.	11:42 p.m.
Monday,	" 9	5:14 a.m.	11:01 a.m.
		5:54 p.m.	
Tuesday,	" 10	6:10 a.m.	0:22 a.m.
		6:24 p.m.	11:49 a.m.
Wednesday,	" 11	6:56 a.m.	0:51 a.m.
		6:54 p.m.	12:24 p.m.
Thursday,	" 12	7:40 a.m.	1:23 a.m.
		7:25 p.m.	1:09 p.m.

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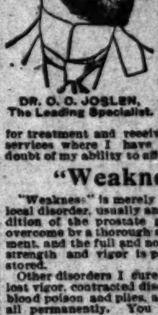

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

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YET IT WILL COMPEL DOING ALL THE WORK OVER.

Pasadena Voters Meet With Difficulty in Extending Adelia Avenue. Local El Camino Real Association Organized—Wealthy Chicago Man Stricken With Paralysis.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 24 South Raymond avenue, May 6. —It appears that the citizens who worked so hard to get Worcester avenue opened out through the Franklin school grounds to connect with Adelia avenue, and thought they had won, will have the work to do again. And all because of a slight technical error.

The letting of light into the pocket called forth the largest school meeting in the history of the district, and there was much speechifying. The meeting was called for the purpose of getting expression of opinion on the part of the voters in the school district on the question of opening Adelia avenue through to Worcester. When the words had all been said and the matter was put to vote the project of letting Worcester avenue through was voted favorably. Therein lay the technical error. The motion should have said "Adelia" instead of "Worcester."

President Delos-Arnold of the Board of Education was not satisfied with the petition of the voters and consulted the District Attorney before taking any steps. Yesterday afternono Prosecutor Arnold submitted to the board the District Attorney's opinion in effect that the business of the meeting was "void and without effect." Accordingly the board took no action on the petition and the petitioners will have to gin their cotton twice.

FOR EL CAMINO REAL.

Builders of good roads met last night in the Board of Trade rooms and organized a local association, auxiliary to the State Camino Real Association recently formed at Santa Barbara. Pasadena has the honor of perfecting the first local association in the movement to construct a king's highway from San Diego to the northern part of the State.

Delegates were present from the West Side Improvement Association, the Pasadena Farmers' Club, New Century Club, Northeast Improvement Association, Merchants' Association, Board of Trade and city government, and others were there just because they are interested in good roads.

Benjamin W. Hahn was made chairman of the meeting, and R. W. McDonald secretary. On resolution of D. W. Coolidge, a permanent organization to be known as the Pasadena Camino Real Association was perfected, and officers were elected as follows: President, Benjamin W. Hahn; vice-president, Capt. William Waterhouse, secretary, Mrs. Helen E. Bandini; treasurer, D. W. Coolidge. The president was instructed to appoint an Executive Committee of fifteen.

Mr. R. Oiney, State secretary of the Good Roads Association, spoke interestingly at length of the purposes of the movement, and urged the importance of forming a local society. Mr. A. C. Forbes, State chairman of the Historical Landmark Association, read a paper which was received with much interest, urging the preservation of the landmarks of the early days. Miss A. B. Picher was made an honorary member of the Pasadena Association, the idea of constructing the highway having been conceived by her. Short addresses were made by nearly every one present, all heartily endorsing the purpose of the meeting.

Annual dues of the association were fixed at $2 per year, $1 to go to the State organization and $1 to the local.

USED A BOARD.

From time immemorable the lath and the shingle have been legitimate weapons in the hand of the father who reserve in spoiling the rod and not sparing the child. But S. A. Siverts, a machinist, living at No. 739 Yolo street, is accused of raising the limit and spoiling the child from the nether approach thereto by means of an ordinary board.

The Humane Society is investigating the case. It is alleged that on Wednesday night the lad, who is 10 years old, stepped on a milk pan and bent it a bit, and thereupon the loving parent proceeded to bend the child in. He even declared that he would do the work with his gossiping neighbor could see, referring to a party who had sometime ago reported him for denting his kid. The neighbor 'phoned the police and the police, being supplicated by the sympathetic neighbors, reported the unpleasantness to the Humane Society.

STRICKEN ON A TRAIN.

A. S. Miller, a wealthy Chicago man, who with his wife was en route to Pasadena to spend several months with the family of Mr. Reid, formerly of Reid, Murdock & Co., Chicago, millionaire grocers, was stricken with paralysis while on board Santa Fé train No. 3 yesterday. He was taken off the train and placed on an eastbound train in the hope that he might reach his home in Chicago before he died. Mr. Miller has made frequent trips to California and has a number of friends in Pasadena. He is 62 years of age and owing to his advanced age it is feared the attack will prove fatal.

SOCIETY AND SPORT.

There are several members of the Pasadena Country Club who claim that that organization is given up altogether too much to society nowadays, to the great detriment of healthy sport such as golf, tennis, etc. The pink tea has been putting the cleak and racquet out of business, in other words. Dinner dances are too frequent and tournaments too few. The golf fiend dares hardly show his head unless he can attend in a swell turnout, drawn by prancing bobtails.

Therefore some of the oldtimers who care not or cannot keep afloat in the creamy social swim are beginning to look about them for other fields of pleasure. Some are talking of withdrawing and joining the newly-organized San Gabriel Country Club of which H. E. Huntington is the chief promoter, and others have their eyes turned toward a promised land on the west side, the Campbell-Johnston country, now made accessible by the new electric road. They are pricing land for a golf links over there.

OF LESSER IMPORT.

The Audobon Society will hold a meeting at the Board of Trade rooms Friday evening, when plans for work along the line of bird study will be discussed and arrangements will be completed for the annual meeting and picnic to take place the last Saturday in May.

Charles W. Yale, father of Mrs. Robert E. Ford, is visiting Prof. and Mrs. Ford at their home on South Madison avenue. Mr. Yale has just returned from a pleasant trip to Japan, and he says the Japs are lively, patriotic little fellows.

Guests of Hotel Maryland, La Casa Grande and Spalding enjoyed progressive eucher last evening at the home of Mrs. W. B. Mershon.

Throop Institute wishes it understood that Hobson and Elliott, the youngsters who stole the skeleton, are not scholars there. Wakeham, the Throop boy who is suspected with having been implicated, bears a good reputation otherwise. He is still ill but may be brought forth to answer on Saturday next.

Among distinguished guests of Hotel Maryland is Mrs. McVickar widow of the Chicago man for whom McVickar's Theater was named. She is accompanied by her private physician Dr. Fiegler.

The business section of Pasadena these days looks as though Mount Wilon were enjoying an eruption. The dust is caused by the tearing down of the old Williams block that has accumulated dirt particles for the past twenty-two years.

There will likely be one more band concert taking place this coming Sunday as last week's affair was disturbed by the wind.

The old Baptist Church on Fair Oaks and Holly streets is being converted into a flat store building.

George Robinson yesterday filed three affidavits on the part of himself H. R. Butliff and J. R. Mason charging Deputy Assessor Doud with insulting women. Assessor Ward received and filed the trouble sheets.

Jesus Acosta, an aged Mexican, is dead in North Pasadena.

Word comes from Chicago that Dr. J. G. Lovell, well known here in social circles, was recently passed third in a class of seventy before the State Board of Examiners of Illinois. He was awarded a position on the house staff of St. Luke's Hospital.

Hon. E. B. Pickett of Waterloo, Iowa, Past Grand Exalted Ruler of the Elks, was the guest of the local order yesterday.

Capt. William Waterhouse has returned from Honolulu.

The Congregation of the First Christian Church is talking of a new building, made necessary by the increased attendance.

J. A. Goodrich will be in charge of Memorial Day exercises, the Sons of Veterans at a meeting held last night having requested him to again act as chairman. All committees will be appointed by Mr. Goodrich, the G.A.R. having delegated the Sons of Veterans to have control of the exercises and they appointing Mr. Goodrich for the third time.

Other hotels have their openings and their closings, but the latch-string of Hotel Maryland, Pasadena, is always out.

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SOLDIERS' HOME.

MARKHAM MAKES INSPECTION.

SOLDIERS' HOME, May 5.—Ex-Gov. H. H. Markham, the new member of the board of managers, visited the home yesterday, and, in company with Gen. LaGrange, viewed the various changes that have taken place since he last overlooked the institution as its local manager. He expressed himself as greatly pleased with the improvements everywhere observable.

Both gentlemen later drove to Santa Monica, where they were entertained at dinner at "Miramar," the seaside residence of Senator Jones. Returning to the home, Mr. Markham remained over night, the guest of Gen. and Mrs. LaGrange.

ANOTHER VETERAN GONE.

Another death was added to the steadily-increasing list for this month, namely: Fred Schultz, late of the Seventy-fourth New York Infantry, a native of Germany, admitted from Marysville, Cal., 1902; aged 81. He was single, and his nearest relative is Johann Schultz, Luthern, Germany.

COVINA.

APPOINTED CASHIER.

COVINA, May 5.—Herman Hellman, president of the Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles, was in Covina yesterday and presided over a meeting of the Covina Valley Savings Bank, at which time J. C. Hutchinson, Jr., was appointed cashier to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of F. M. Douglass.

OLD-FASHIONED CELEBRATION.

HOW LONG BEACH WILL OBSERVE INDEPENDENCE DAY.

Firemen's Tournament to be the Leading Feature—Newsboys' Ride to the Seaside and Walk Home. Mother in Search of Her Son. Conference Delegates to be Invited.

LONG BEACH, May 5.—The plans for an old-fashioned celebration of the Fourth of July at the beach are rapidly assuming shape and the committee having it in charge grow more enthusiastic daily. At a meeting last night it was decided that the main feature of the day should be a firemen's tournament. All the fire departments in Southern California will be invited and cash prizes offered for the first three hose teams winning in a run-and-get-ready contest and the same for hook and ladder companies.

Then there will be prizes for drill teams of various secret societies and one for the largest representation. A monster parade is planned to be participated in by all organizations and the school children. Besides the Long Beach Marine Band, others will be engaged. The night festivities will be in charge of the Order of Calithumpians, who promise a wierd show. The day's programme will close with a big fireworks display on the ocean, consisting of set pieces, closing with a sham naval battle. The vast expanse of beach will enable everyone to have a free and unobstructed view. The committee also expects to have an hour's programme of the old-time sort, including an oration, reading of the Declaration of Independence and music.

NEWSBOYS ON A JAUNT.

Tom McGraine, aged 12, Alfred De Ware, 11, and Samuel Edmundson (colored) aged 14, had a wild ride last night and one they will not soon forget. All three are Los Angeles newsboys, and hearing that a training ship was at Long Beach, decided to visit it. They had no money, but that did not bother them, and when a Long Beach car stopped at Sixth and Main last night, the three arabs quickly swung themselves under the rear platform on the fender and in that perilous way rode to Long Beach.

They were seen as the car passed Compton and word was telephoned to the office here so that when the car arrived the three shivering and dirt-begrimed rascals crept out from under the car into the hands of officers. They were locked up for the night and released with a warning. As they had no money, they started to walk back to the city.

DISAPPOINTED MOTHER.

This morning Mrs. Compton arrived from Indiana in search of her son, who was located in Long Beach and had written his mother to join him. Mrs. Compton came with all her household goods to find that her son departed a few days ago for Spokane, leaving no word for his mother. Mrs. Compton is nearly heart-broken and has gone to Los Angeles, from which point she will try to get into communication with her boy.

GATHERED ON THE SHORE.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church gave an enjoyable patriotic birthday social at the church parlors this evening. The programme included sketches of the men who surrounded Lincoln in war time by Mrs. Greenleaf, war songs and solos by the church choir and Miss Kennedy. For refreshments, coffee and doughnuts were served.

The trustees of the Methodist Church have been instructed to build an addition of six classrooms to the Sunday-school and also a gallery in the church auditorium. The congregation numbers 500 and the Sunday-school has an enrollment of 600.

At the next meeting of the Council an ordinance will be passed regulating the speed of bicycles, autocycles and automobiles and providing for bells and lights at night.

Postoffice receipts for April were $1819.62; same month last year, $1398.50; a gain of 30 per cent.

The Board of Trade has appointed a committee who will invite the General Methodist Conference to spend one afternoon at the beach some time during the month.

The G.A.R. post has asked the Board of Trade to have charge of Memorial Day services and make the celebration a general one.

Yesterday afternoon the Pacific Electric officials were in conference with the berry growers of Signal Hill relative to a side track from the Bay City line, thus enabling growers to ship directly into Los Angeles.

The Pennsylvania Society of Southern California will hold its seventeenth annual picnic at Long Beach on Saturday, the 14th inst.

EL MONTE.

PLENTY OF WATER.

EL MONTE, May 5.—At the beginning of the year the water supply in this district approximated 4000 inches, enough to irrigate all the land, but the ease with which water can be obtained and the desire of each rancher to be independent has led to further development. About 500 inches more have been secured. Here the supply of water is apparently inexhaustible, and is only limited by the pumping capacity of the plant.

KILLED FOUR WILDCATS.

Frank Williams of El Monte and Henry Mace of Charter Oak had a very successful hunt in the Hollenbeck hills a few days ago. Their dogs were on the scent, and by noon four large wildcats had been secured. The largest weighed thirty-six pounds.

LAND SALES.

H. G. Dow of Los Angeles bought of Thomas Lambert fourteen and a half acres of two-year-old walnut orchard located northeast of El Monte; consideration named, $2800. The sale was made by Service Bros.' real estate agency.

E. J. Baldwin sold to Samuel Irwin of El Monte eighteen acres of damp lands south of El Monte on the old mission road. Ranch buildings are on the property and a water right is included in the transfer. The land is planted to barley, but will be sown to alfalfa; consideration named, $3600.

Proposed Modern High School to Grace Alhambra.

ALHAMBRA.

PRETENTIOUS HIGH SCHOOL.

ALHAMBRA, May 5.—Plans are well advanced for the new Alhambra High School building. The accompanying sketch is from a preliminary drawing made by Architects Stone & Smith of San Francisco. The structure is to be of brick, two stories in height, with basement. It is designed to accommodate a circular assembly hall capable of seating about four hundred and fifty persons, classrooms, laboratories and other modern accessories, for 250 pupils. The site and building will cost about $43,000.

FERNANDO.

HAY HARVEST ACTIVE.

FERNANDO, May 5.—The larger grain ranches of the valley are preparing to harvest the big hay crop. W. J. Millen will start five machines next week and the Hubbard & Wright ranch will commence cutting about the same time. There is a stand of more than twenty-nine thousand acres of good grain hay in the upper San Fernando Valley, one ranch, that of the Los Angeles Farming and Milling Company, covering 13,000 acres. The crop will run from three-quarters to one ton per acre.

POWER COMPANY'S LINE.

The linemen engaged in stringing wires over the big poles of the Kern River Power Company, are a few miles north of Newhall. A surveyor for the company, who went through town yesterday, said that the line would be into Los Angeles ready for power within three months. The surveying party had just passed the Elizabeth Lake district and reported the lake pretty well filled. The reports of the poor condition of stock in Antelope Valley, he said, were greatly exaggerated. L. C. Tilghman, a delegate to the district convention from Antelope Valley, said that more than seven inches of rain had fallen there and the stock looked well.

HOLLYWOOD.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

HOLLYWOOD, May 5.—On account of the illness of Dr. R. P. Shepherd, the lecture on Christian Socialism, announced to occur at the Christian Church Friday evening, has been postponed till next Tuesday night.

Miss Julia Austin of Chicago, secretary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, is a guest of Mrs. Churchill today.

The young ladies of the Pass grammar school will give an entertainment at Druid Hall Saturday evening.

Miss Etta Wylie and pupils will give a recital Saturday afternoon.

Rev. George Taylor of Sawtelle will preach in the Masonic Temple Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dyson, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Elliott during the past week left today for Chicago.

The Hollywood Choral Union will give a concert in the Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church May 10.

The electric lights in Chester Court and on Prospect avenue add greatly to the appearance of those portions of the city. It is hoped that the trustees will soon be able to light all of the principal streets.

CATALINA ISLAND.

JEWFISH TAKEN.

AVALON, May 5.—J. W. Northrop of Chicago joined the rank of the jewfishers yesterday, going up to Long Point, where a school of the great black bass family was found to have its home. His first strike netted him a 180-pound fish. That did not fill the bill with him and he made another try, taking a shark weighing 186 pounds. Again he cast for the bass and soon was fast to something, just what he could not tell. It simply ran away with his launch, towing it stern first with steam shut off for two hours, making a distance of five or six miles, when the line parted and the monster of whatever shape made his escape.

J. T. Weitslar and Otto Schuster of New York went out with the launch Myrtle today and took a 180-pound jewfish.

R. E. Fraiser of Boston and A. D. Amsdin of Ashtabula, O., went to the isthmus yesterday with Harry Doss and took a thirty-eight-pound white sea bass.

Miss Adele E. Shepard, Miss L. Brink, Miss E. Sladfeldt, E. D. Keefe and J. L. Elliott, all of San Francisco, are at the Metropole.

CLAIMS SEA AS HOMESTEAD.

MYSTERIOUS MAN "LOCATES" AT EAST SAN PEDRO.

Squatters Oiling Their Pocket and Other Artillery and Getting Ready for Quick Unlimbering — They Can't Find Individual Who Posted Notices.

SAN PEDRO, May 5.—East San Pedro tidelanders are leading the strenuous life these days. This morning when they rubbed the sleep out of their eyes, they found that notices had been posted on all their beach places, and that some brave and fearless individual by the name of John Webb had "squatted" all over them, and in his modesty proclaimed through the notices that he only desired 160 acres of that which they claimed for their own.

The notice follows:

EAST SAN PEDRO, May 4, 1904.—To Whom This May Concern:

I, the undersigned, make homestead claimant on 160 acres of U. S. Government Land located in East San Pedro, Los Angeles County, State of California, described as follows:

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JOHN WEBB.

No one seems to know who Mr. Webb is, where he came from or whither he went. He apparently believes that the law of accretion is a good law, and expects beach land at East San Pedro to grow, for he has proclaimed his intention of taking up for a homestead more land than actually exists. Neither is he any respecter of person, for he placed his notices on land where modern cottages have been built, and are being occupied. John simply wants it all, and does not object to taking possession simply because some one happens to have erected buildings thereon.

Almost a score of tidelanders have been trying to find Webb all day, but their quest has proven unsuccessful, he having disappeared as mysteriously as he came. All the armament of the East Side is being oiled and put in condition for his reception when he does return.

The big question today is: "Who is John Webb?" and "Who does really, truly and sure-enough own the tide lands which lie around Pansy Bay?"

All the squatters at East San Pedro have buried the hatchet and are moving forward in one solid column for the purpose of annihilating the him who would dare to take all and more of that invaluable domain.

TOLUCA.

ON CAHUENGA PASS.

TOLUCA, May 5.—San Fernando avenue, one of the best roads in the country, is fast becoming a favorite with automobilists. It will become better known on the completion of Sunset boulevard, as a continuous run, with easy grades, can then be made over Cahuenga Pass and through Toluca, Burbank and Tropico. This will give a picturesque run of about twenty-five miles over dustless roads. About fifteen cars of oil will be used this spring in this vicinity.

At the annual stockholders' meeting of the San Fernando Valley Walnut Growers' Association, J. W. Deupree was elected president, and C. A. Cartwright secretary.

AZUSA.

CHANGES IN BANK OFFICIALS.

AZUSA, May 5.—Assistant Cashier W. M. Griswold of the Azusa Valley Bank has tendered his resignation and will accept the cashiership of the First National Bank of Covina, to which he has just been elected. His successor in the Azusa Valley Bank is H. S. Johnson, lately of the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles.

The Pasadena Bait Club House on the West Fork has been repaired and refitted under the management of Proprietor S. E. Smith of Camp Rincon. L. C. Torrance of Pasadena, president of the Bait Club, is at the clubhouse for a week's fishing, accompanied by Mr. Story of Altadena and Emil Kayser and W. R. Merriam. Other members of the club expect to join the party later.

Among this week's guests at Camp Rincon are: H. H. Rose and party, Charles S. Tallmadge, W. L. Graves, Jr., H. R. Bingham, A. W. Reese, S. C. Nash, J. R. Drake, M. Home, J. D. Wiley, W. C. Broell, William Llewellyn, Benton J. Arthur, John C. Cline, Harry Cline, Walter Brodie and Charles W. Chase of Los Angeles, O. H. Hayes and S. L. Wallis and wife of Pasadena, A. A. Hall, Richard Brunjes, Cornelius Smith and R. F. Thaxter of Azusa.

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REDONDO.

MRS. MATTIE BROWNING DEAD.

REDONDO, May 5.—Mrs. Mattie A. Browning, widow of the late Rev. W. J. Browning, died at her late residence on Emerald street, Tuesday evening, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Browning was born in Alabama sixty-three years ago, and had been a resident of Redondo for the past thirteen years. She was the mother of seven children, two of whom survive her, a daughter, Mrs. Emma Wiley, who attended her during her illness, and a son, Wiley Browning, who resides in La Cananea, Mex.

The funeral will take place Friday, at 2 p.m., at the Congregational Church. Rev. N. L. Rowell, pastor of the Central Congregational Church of Los Angeles, will conduct the services.

POMONA.

SPANISH MOTHERS' MEETING.

POMONA, May 5.—A Spanish mothers' meeting was held in place of the regular session of the North Child Study Circle at the Central Kindergarten yesterday afternoon. The exercises were in Spanish, Mrs. J. W. Wilkinson presiding. Papers were read by Mrs. H. J. Crawford and Mrs. A. B. Case, well-known workers among the Spanish people, and Spanish songs were rendered by Mmes. McGowan, Yorba, Hanson and Miss Hill.

Dr. Otto Freyermuth was here from San Francisco to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. H. W. Freyermuth, yesterday.

F. W. Thompkins has arrived from Phoenix, Ariz., and taken a position with the King-Steffa Company.

Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts of Adell, Iowa, are visiting their son, C. B. Roberts.

The engagement is announced of Miss Julia Fich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Fich and Clarence E. Hawley, teacher of history in the Pomona High School.

The members of the senior class of the local High School are busy preparing their graduating essays and orations for commencement, the faculty having granted them special half-days for such work.

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Hurstbourne	117	Mizzen	114
Lord of the Vale	115	Wheeler	113
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Above is the full entry list of the great Brooklyn Handicap to be run May 28th. Select the horses you think will finish one-two-three, fill in the appended coupon and mail with $1.00 for six months' subscription—every six months' subscription entitles you to make one selection—to THE KENTUCKY FARMER AND BREEDER, Lexington, Ky. Should your selections be correct, you will be awarded

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Taken While Napping Off San Pedro—Weighs Twelve Hundred Pounds.

SAN PEDRO, May 5.—Over half a ton of turtle, all in one intimate piece, was caught napping at sea and towed into port here this afternoon. The landing of the big specimen of sea game is credited to George Bellair of the launch Bell.

The boatman was cruising out beyond the breakwater when he sighted the great lump of life through Stealing cautiously to within a rope's distance he succeeded in an effort to get a line about the creature. There were three or four men in the launch with Evitch so the towing of the shelled monster to an inner harbor landing was accomplished without great difficulty.

The captive is robust and active. There is a lot of history written on his ancient coat of mail. In hieroglyphics graven by rifle bullet and harpoon are recorded veracious accounts of narrow escapes from the hostile hand of man. Somewhere within the big fellow's back are lodged the pellets of lead which were aimed to lay him low, but which failed to do much more than to improve on nature by giving the animal a little more ventilation than he had theretofore had in his close quarters.

The captors are planning to send the catch to the St. Louis Exposition. The turtle weighs 1200 pounds and measures seven feet across.

Children's $1.00 School Hats at 25c

An assortment of misses and children's school hats, consisting of sailor shapes of plain or rough straw, in white or white and black and fancy colors bound with silk ribbon bands. On bargain table, main floor, Friday only, choice **25c**

MAIN FLOOR.

25c Flowers, per bunch, 12½c

100 dozon of flowers for millinery purposes, such as forget-me-nots, poppies, geraniums, cherries, and foliage. They are new, fresh stock and are worth 25c. Priced on bargain table, main floor, Friday only at per bunch..... **12½c**

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FRIDAY'S SURPRISES

Boys' $2.50 Wool Suits at $1.49

These suits are in the regular double breasted two piece knee pants style; coats lined with Farmer satin; the pants have taped seams. Materials are Cheviots, and Tweeds in medium colors, sizes 8 to 16 years, Friday..... **$1.49**

Boys' $3.50 Wool Suits at $1.95

In the double breasted style, coats lined with Italian cloth, pants have riveted buttons, tapebound seams and the materials are wool Cheviots, Tweeds and Cassimeres; plain and fancy mixtures, sizes 8 to 16 years, Friday..... **$1.95**

Surprisingly Low Priced Footwear

But when it comes to quality there is no better made. We are satisfied that we do a larger shoe business than any two stores in Los Angeles. The reason is that we never sell our public inferior goods and while the prices are uniformly low, there is everything that could be desired in quality, style, fit and finish. For Friday's selling we specially feature the following lines from both our main floor and basement shoe departments.

Children's $1.25 School Shoes—of good quality kid; lace or button style; patent tips; spring heels and are good enough for any school wear as they are neat and comfortable and in sizes 8½ to 11. Friday surprise..... **95c**

BASEMENT.

Women's $5.00 Shoes—lace style; Vici kid, patent kid or patent calf; all of best make; have light turned or welted soles; military or Louis XV heels; new lasts; all sizes in the combined lot. Friday surprise **$3.65**

MAIN FLOOR.

Women's $2.00 Shoes—Vici kid in lace style; have patent tips; military or low flat heels; are on comfortable shapes, well made and in all sizes. Friday surprise..... **$1.45**

Women's $2.00 Oxfords—Vici kid with patent tips; medium weight soles; concave heels and in all sizes. Are good enough for all ordinary wear. Friday surprise..... **$1.45**

Women's $3.00 Shoes—fine grade of kid with light flexible soles; patent or kid tips; military heels; all in new dressy shapes and in all sizes. Friday surprise..... **$2.45**

Boy's $1.75 School Shoes—of strong satin calf that will stand the roughest usage; have medium round capped toes and good soles; sizes 11 to 2. Friday surprise..... **$1.25**

BASEMENT.

Women's $5.00 Patent Kid Shoes—Goodyear welt soles; military heels; dull mat kid Blucher cut tops; very stylish street boots in all sizes. Friday surprise **$3.95**

Women's Finest Oxfords—comprising Court ties of champagne colored kids with silk worked eyelets, Louis XV heels in the new "Touchdown" lasts. Also white Suede, patent kid and Vici kid Oxfords—ultra stylish shapes. Choice **$5.00**

Grover's "Comfort" Shoes—for women, of soft kid; plain full toes; lace, Congress or button styles. Specially designed for tender feet and elderly women. Our price of lace and Congress styles $2.25; button style..... **$3.25**

Men's $3.50 Shoes—of Velour calf; have welted soles; nicely made; in comfortable shapely lasts; all sizes. Specially priced **$2.95**

MAIN FLOOR.

$1.50 Kid Gloves per Pair 50c.

1200 pairs of women's 1 large pearl clasp kid gloves—blacks and reds; have Paris Point embroidery; are Pique sewed and every pair warranted. Sizes 5½, 5¾, 6, 6½ and 6¾ only. Actually worth $1.50. Friday surprise, choice..... **50c**

Children's $1.50 Reefers at 98c.

An assortment of children's all wool Reefers—double breasted style; finished with pearl buttons; colorings blue or red. Have sold up to now at $1.50. Specially priced as a Friday surprise at..... **98c**

SECOND FLOOR.

75c Summer Corsets at 50c.

An assortment of Batiste Corsets and tape girdles in plain white, blue, pink and drab; also netting corsets in the popular models. All of them 75c values. On bargain table as a Friday surprise, choice.. **50c**

SECOND FLOOR.

Huck Towels per Dozen 75c.

A towel of liberal size and good enough in quality for any hotel or rooming house use. They have neatly hemmed ends, are full bleached and are the usual 10c kinds priced as a Friday surprise per dozen..... **75c**

$7.50 "As Is" Hats $2.50.

An assortment of about 100 hats from the season's best shapes and styles but are slightly soiled from handling, window display and trying on. There are some dress hats and also street and suit hats. Plenty of colors and values from $5.00 to $7.50. Friday surprise, choice **$2.50**

Friday Surprises in Women's Wearables

You must of necessity finish up your buying of summer garments very shortly especially if you are going to the World's Fair. Don't leave these purchases until the last minute and all the good things have been picked over and you may not find just the garments that will please your taste. We have just received a large consignment of stylish garments, most of them the popular silk shirt waist suits; so why not buy along these lines Friday.

$5.00 Silk Waists—good grade peau de soie, assorted colors. They are the newest styles. Some of them are slightly soiled; have been sold up to now at $5; specially priced as a Friday surprise..... **$2.98**

New Silk Shirt Waist Suits—of pretty striped taffeta; the waist trimmed in cape effect; finished with large metal buttons; have plain flare skirts; an actual $15 value; Friday Surprise..... **$10.00**

New Silk Shirt Waist Suits—waist prettily plaited and trimmed with plaited piping and silk tie; have plaited skirts and kilted at bottom; the colors black, blue, brown and tan; they are correct in style, nicely finished and specially priced at.. **$25.00**

All Wool Walking Skirts—fine cassimeres in pretty striped patterns and popular mixtures; in flare style; regular $6.50 to $7.50 values. Friday Surprise.. **$5.00**

$35 Tailored Suits—broadcloths, cheviots or voiles; newest styles of eton in broad shoulder effect; braid or silk trimmed and silk lined jackets; the skirts plain or trimmed; colorings tan, brown, blue or black. Friday..... **$25.00**

SECOND FLOOR.

New Pongee Coats—military shoulders; trimmed with strapping of same material. The most popular traveling garments a decided bargain at. **$12.50**

New Silk Traveling Garments—made with plain military shoulder and plaited sleeves and waists; the colorings blue, black, green, brown and tan. They are very popular and stylish and reasonably priced at..... **$20.00**

White Jap Silk Waists—trimmed with lace insertion on front and sleeves; are really better than others sell at $5.00. A Friday surprise at..... **$3.98**

White Lawn Shirt Waists—trimmed down front with blind embroidery and open work patterns; actually worth $2.00. Friday surprise **$1.50**

Fine Percale Wrappers—light and medium colors; pretty patterns; are perfect fitting; are made with inside fitted linings and have deep flounces. Friday surprise..... **98c**

SECOND FLOOR.

Notion Surprises

Women's supporters, plain silk web, safety pin top, white, black and colors. Regular price 50c, special..... **25c**

Women's $1.00 Silk Supporters—Fancy frilled webbing in orange, cardinal, blue, Black and white, Friday **50c**

25c Dress Shields—nainsook covered, rubber lined, white or black, 3 sizes, special..... **10c**

10c Silk Elastic—Fancy frilled 1½ inches wide; in lavender, cardinal, blue, orange, black; Friday, per yard..... **5c**

10c Finishing Braid—Assorted pattern, special Friday, per piece..... **5c**

25c Silk Elastic—best quality 1 inches wide, all colors, special Friday, per yard..... **12½c**

5c Hair Pin Cabinet—containing 60 best quality jet pins, 4 sizes, special..... **2½c**

2½c Best Quality Hair Pins—jet, steel; Special Friday per paper..... **1c**

7c Pin Cubes—100 full count, jet and assorted heads. Special..... **4c**

2½c Toilet Pins—40 in box, special Friday, 10 boxes for..... **10c**

Friday Surprises in Wash Goods

You will have uses for so many wash garments during the season that you will appreciate the chance offered Friday to pick up some very desirable lines of merchandise so much under regular price. They are all new weaves in good colorings and patterns as described below.

Fancy Twilled Duck Suitings—36 inches wide; an unexcelled material for outing suits or children's knockabout dresses. A good 12½c grade, priced at per yard..... **8⅓c**

Wash Flannels—summer styles; cream and light tinted grounds in stripe or check patterns. Sell elsewhere in the city at 12½c to 16½c. A Friday surprise with us per yard..... **8⅓c**

36-inch Covert Cloth—dark brown and tan shades; either plain or in mixtures; a good wash material for beach dresses and worth 15c. Friday surprise a yard..... **10c**

Fine Madras Ginghams—full 32 inches wide; some of them pretty striped patterns suitable for childrens' dresses or aprons. It is a good washable material easily worth 12½c. Friday surprise per yd. **8⅓c**

Printed Dress Batiste—also printed Dimities; choice line of patterns; small and medium size in all the wanted colorings. Both are actual 15c grades. Priced as a Friday surprise per yard.... **10c**

Dotted Swiss Muslin—white or tinted grounds; small patterns; a deservedly popular summer fabric. Would not be overpriced at 15c. Specially priced Friday yd. **12½c**

Silk Warp Mousseline de Soie—the pretty dotted patterns in all the light evening shades of popular colors. A good value at 50c. Priced as a Fri. surprise yd. **33c**

Fancy Printed Dress Ducks—32 inches wide; a large range of patterns to select from in all the good colorings. It is a serviceable fabric for children's wear and worth 20c. Friday surprise per yd.. **12½c**

Friday Dress Goods Surprises

A number of choice weaves—some of them short lengths but enough for several waists or a suit and all of them are the most wanted of the season.

27-inch Half Wool Challies—25 pieces of these pretty materials for house gowns, kimonos and children's wear; are in pink, green, tan, old rose, red and black with embroidered stripes of same coloring. They are light weight. Sold up to now at 35c. Friday surprise yd. **25c**

Black Dress Goods—an assortment of weaves worth 59c to $1.00 and including black corded Brilliantine and black lace stripe and all wool Crepe de Chines. Both are light weight. The Crepe de Chine has worked hemstitched stripes. Widths are 32 to 42 inches. Friday surprise per yd.... **39c**

52-inch Black Sicilians—a desirable Mohair weave of deep rich black; crisp finished; perfectly reversible and just the thing for traveling suits and coats. Actually worth 75c. Friday surprise per yard..... **59c**

Silk and Wool Crepe de Chines—10 pieces in the wanted colorings of blue, tan, brown and black; soft light material equally as pretty as silk and mostly wanted for the soft clingy gowns; is 42 inches wide and matchless under $1.25. A Friday surprise leader at per yard..... **$1.00**

$1.25 Melton Cloth—the most popular material for bicycle, beach and outing skirts and suits; colorings blue, brown and gray mixtures; is 54 inches wide and sold up to now at $1.25. Friday surprise, per yard **68c**

Colored Wool Materials—more than fifty pieces of light weight materials that were made to sell at $1.50. They include 54-inch London Twines sprinkled with small white nubs; 54-in. Mistrals with self colored nubs; 46-in. Etamines in plain colors shot with white; 54-in. Canvas Etamines with white nubs; 46-in. Canvas Cloth shot with white. All are light weight. Friday surprise, choice per yard... **89c**

Garden Tools

Special Offerings For Friday Only

90c Garden Spades—short handle, round or square points. Special..... **49c**

Spading Forks—either long or short handles. Friday..... **90c**

Flower Sets—women's sizes; hoe and spade; good steel. Friday..... **98c**

Grass catchers—heavy canvas; tin bottom; easily detachable. Special..... **75c**

Grass Sickle—solid steel; wood handles; worth 29c. Special..... **19c**

39c Garden Rakes—10 teeth; of good steel; long smooth handle. Special..... **25c**

"Hamburger" Garden Hose—¾ or 1 inch black rubber; coupled in lengths of 20 feet and over; warranted one year. Special Friday per foot..... **10c**

"Hamburger" No. 3 Garden Hose—¾ inch best black rubber; coupled in lengths of 20 feet and over; warranted one year; worth 17½c. Special per foot..... **15c**

"Hamburger" 14 or 16-inch Lawn Mower—best forging; have 3 blades; are dust proof and guaranteed. Special..... **$3.49**

FOURTH FLOOR.

Women's 50c and 75c Belts at 25c

A selected lot of belts from broken assortments consisting of Taffeta silk, royal satin and assorted leathers with gilt, oxydized, and sterling dip effect buckles. Friday surprise..... **25c**

25c and 35c Hair Ornaments 15c

A lot of shell, amber and black back and side combs; hair binders, hair retainers, pompadours and roll top combs. Specially priced as a Friday surprise, choice..... **15c**

25c and 35c Pins at 5c

An assortment of belt buckles, beauty pins, belt and sash pins in French gray, Dutch silver, gilt and oxydized effects. Values up to 35c. Friday surprise, choice..... **5c**

98c Buckle Garters 25c

Fine quality silk web garters in pastel shades of pink, blue, yellow; also white and black. They have sterling buckles and are actually worth 98c. Friday surprise, choice..... **25c**

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15c, 20c Laces per yd. 5c.

A sale of 10,000 yards of lace consisting of Venice laces in cream and white; Chantilly lace in white, black and ecru 2 to 5 inches wide; Chantilly medallion bandings 3 and 4 inches wide; Point de Paris laces 2 to 4 inches wide—values up to 20c, as a Friday surprise, bargain table, fourth floor. No mail or phone orders at per yard..... **5c**

FOURTH FLOOR.

$2.50 Buggy Robes $1.19

100 buggy robes, fancy check and solid colored patterns, are of extra size and fringed; the center is handsomely embroidered with French zephyrs. These robes are sold at every other store at $2.50. Special price, Friday, on bargain table. No mail or phone orders at..... **$1.19**

BARGAIN TABLE AISLE 1, MAIN FLOOR.

Home Furnishing Surprises

This ad specially features certain merchandise which you will find most uses for if you are going to have a beach cottage and do not want to take the nice things from your home with which to complete the furnishings.

36-inch Printed Curtain Muslin—a choice quality in washable colors; good assortment of patterns; sell regularly at 15c. Friday surprise, per yard..... **9c**

Lace Curtain Ends—500 in the lot; variety of patterns; several of a kind to match up in pairs. Many of them are 16 point nets and would sell in the regular way up to $4.00 a pair. Friday surprise, each **29c**

Real India Portieres—just the thing for summer draperies and cozy corners; are in Turkish colorings and patterns; mostly reds with checked borders; and are good values at $2.00 a pair. Friday, each. **50c**

Italian Silk Blanket Robes—54x72 inches; are in cross striped patterns; dark and medium colors; are perfectly reversible, and are very handy for house use and worth regularly $2.00. Friday only, each... ..... **69c**

Misfit Window Shades—about 100 in the lot; of best quality hand made opaque shading; some mounted on improved Hartshorn rollers; they are of various widths and colors and range from 6 to 8 feet long; worth 70c to 90c each. Friday surprise, ea. **35c**

THIRD FLOOR.

Floor Oil Cloth—heavy quality; durable for kitchen, pantry or bath floor coverings; light, medium and dark tile patterns; are in 1, 1¼ and 2 yard widths and worth regularly 40c per square yard. Friday surprise per square yard..... **29c**

FOURTH FLOOR.

May Sale of Hosiery

Just as good values tomorrow as were offered today or yesterday for it is a sale that we made plenty of preparations for and are offering very desirable lines of hosiery for women, misses, children and men at prices that cannot be duplicated.

Black Cotton Hose—a lot of 100 dozen including women's plain black and children's French ribbed; all made double heel and toe; regular 10c value. Friday surprise, pr.. **5c**

Women's and Children's Hose—black Lisle thread; allover lace pattern; made double heel and toe; 20c and 25c values; sale price..... **12½c**

Women's Full Fashioned Hose—regular made; pure Hermsdorf dye; also full fashioned allover lace Lisle hose. Regular 25c values. Sale price 3 pairs for..... **50c**

Women's Black Cotton Hose—an allover lace Lisle hose in plain black; are made double sole, heel and toe and are grades which would sell anywhere at 3 for $1.00. Sale price per pair..... **25c**

Women's Fancy Colored Lisle Hose—also plain black and white patterns and gauze Lisle and lace Lisle hose; all made with the new garter top. Regular 75c and $1.00 values. Sale price a pair..... **50c**

Women's Lace Lisle Hose—buot effects; are of a heavy brilliant Lisle and have double soles, heels and toes and are regular $1.50 kinds. Sale price..... **75c**

Silk Remnants at per yard 59c

One thousand lengths of 2 to 10 yards each of 85c, $1.25 and $1.50 values including plain colored Taffeta shirt waist suit silks, fancy waist silks, evening and fancy Louisenes and Taffetas and a number of black silks; widths 19 to 36 inches. Friday surprise, choice per yard..... **59c**

50c Corded Wash Silks 35c

One hundred pieces of these popular wash silks—corded stripes of different widths in cream; also colored embroidered and lace stripes and printed Persian stripes. They will launder perfectly; are pure silk warp and regular 50c values. Friday surprise per yard..... **35c**

$1.00 Black Taffeta per yard 75c

Ten pieces of 24 inch extra heavy black Taffeta—that is sold all over the city at $1.00. It is a brilliant finish; the rustling kind and wears well. Friday surprise per yard..... **75c**

27-inch Pongee Silk 75c

Ten pieces of Pongee in the natural color—American silk; mostly wanted for traveling suits, coats and shirt waist suits; is a firm fine quality of pure Tussah silk and a $1.00 value. Friday surprise per yard..... **75c**

15c Linings per yard 5c

Two thousand yards of 36 inch Percalines in remnant lengths of 1 to 4 yards each. If cut from the piece would sell at 15c a yard; choice line of colors. Friday per yard..... **5c**

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